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HOPES AND WAITS

BRITAIN EXPECTS ROBERTS TO BEAT BOERS.

ALL EYES ON FREE STATE

BATTLE WILL FOLLOW GREAT FLANKING MOVEMENT.

KIMBERLEY TO BE RELIEVED

CHAMBERLAIN SAYS ZULUS MAY FIGHT BOERS.

London, Feb. 15.—Intense satisfaction continues dominant in consequence of Field Marshal Lord Roberts' plan of operations in South Africa, as revealed by the dispatches published this morning. There is no further news of the British advance in the Orange Free State or of activity at the Modder river, but a feeling of quiet confidence prevails that the strong hands of "Bobs Bahadur" and the hero of Khartoum are shaping matters towards a much needed decisive victory. As the St. James Gazette says:

"Lord Roberts, with his own line well guarded and having little reason to fear only a defense which would be deadly, viz., a counterstroke attacking his long line as it swings around, will be able to force the Boers to fight under very unfavorable conditions, or abandon their heavy guns and stores."

A special dispatch to the Times from Chivelley, Natal, dated Tuesday, Feb. 13, says:

General Lyttleton has succeeded to the command of the Second division during the illness of General Clery, who is suffering from blood poisoning. Colonel Northcott, of the Rifle brigade, temporarily commands the Fourth division."

The fears regarding a Boer attack on Zululand are somewhat allayed by a special dispatch from Durban, which says that a column of colonial scouts, after a forced march, has arrived at Eshowe, in splendid fighting form. They were pursued several times during the march by the Boers, but succeeded in repulsing them.

The official list of the British casualties at Rensburg from February 10 to February 12 shows:

Killed—Four officers and seven men; wounded—six officers and fourteen men; missing—two officers and eight men.

The officers killed were Colonel Coningham, of the Worcester regiment, and Major G. E. Eddy and Lieutenants Powell and J. S. Roberts, all of the Australians.

WILL ENCOURAGE ZULUS.

London, Feb. 15.—In the house of commons today during the course of a reply to a question relative to the probable Boer invasion of Zululand, the secretary of state for the colonies, Joseph Chamberlain, said that the government had decided that if the native territories were invaded by the Boers the natives "will be encouraged and assisted in every way in defending themselves."

Mr. Chamberlain's reply confirmed the reports of the invasion of Zululand and showed the consequence could not fail to be serious throughout South Africa, as the alarm and unrest of the Zulus was bound to spread to the Natal natives.

The colonial secretary also said that the Natal ministry had notified the home government that it could not any longer be responsible for the peaceful attitude of the Zulus, as the invasion of their country was contrary to a tactic compact that the natives should not be dragged into the war.

SILENCE IS BROKEN.

New York, Feb. 15.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

The silence at the front has been broken and whatever occurs anywhere else is of little account. Generals Roberts and Kitchener, having concentrated a full army corps, with a cavalry brigade and artillery, could be trusted to find better employment for it than that of lining up the railway between Orange and Modder rivers. They have done so and their secret is at last out.

General French's cavalry brigade, which has been manoeuvering around Colesberg, seized on Monday the crossing of Riet river at Dekil's drift, and the Sixth and Seventh divisions are now encamped on the east bank of that river.

The Sixth division is Kelly-Kenny's, which has been reported to be co-operating with French and Gatacre for the clearance of the country south of the Orange river.

GREAT FLANKING MOVEMENT.

His division is now officially reported on the Reit river with the Seventh division, Tucker's, which has been believed to be at Modder river. These two divisions, with French's cavalry brigade and the new infantry brigade made up from battalions lining the railway from DeAar junction, are now co-operating with General Metheun's army in a great flanking movement on the Reit below Kimberley. It is a concentration of British forces on a large scale in an unexpected quarter, and the whole movement has been so cleverly concealed that military writers in London have not been able to forecast the precise direction of Lord Roberts' advance.

What is more important, the Dutch themselves have apparently been misled, for they have weakened their forces in a quarter where the attack will be made and strengthened them where the British will remain on the defensive.

ROUTE FOR THE INTERURBAN

THE QUESTION IS A SERIOUS ONE WITH THE BOARD.

Hope to Arrange With the Directors of the Fort Wayne Company —Are in the City.

The members of the board of public works are still worrying about a right-of-way for the Indiana and Ohio interurban railway through the streets of Fort Wayne. As has been heretofore stated, the members of the board and the projectors of the new railway are very desirous of having a route on Columbia street, from the St. Mary's bridge to Calhoun street. If these four or five squares can be secured the granting of a franchise within a few hours would be a certainty. H. P. Ellis, one of the directors of the Fort Wayne Traction company, arrived from Cleveland last evening and it is expected that before he leaves the entire matter will have been placed before him. A law passed by the legislature of 1899 provides for the use of lines inside the city by interurban companies by payment of certain compensation to be fixed by agreement or by the courts should the parties not agree. The law also provides that the interurban company can use tracks during the pendency of a case in court to settle the compensation. An opinion prevails in municipal quarters, however, that this does not apply to street railway companies which had charters granted them before its passage. City Attorney Shambaugh will be asked by Chairman Eggemann for an opinion in the matter and on his advice the board will probably act. The matter will be settled one way or the other within a very few days. The projectors of the interurban line assert that they will drop the application if a settlement is not reached very soon.

HAPPY FOOLS.

The members of the Fort Wayne Turn Verein entertained their friends to the number of 100 at a "narren verein" in their club rooms, corner of Main and Harrison streets, Wednesday evening. Upon entering the rooms the guests were each presented with a fool's cap, which they were to wear during the evening. A short stage performance was given, and there were other features for the enjoyment of the guests. A banquet followed the entertainment. During the evening the members viewed the plans for the new club house, which will cost $25,000.

WATERLOO HAS ELIGIBLES.

Waterloo Press: "Fort Wayne has an Ananias club with an annex as a ladies' auxiliary called Daughters of Saphira. If we are not mistaken in the meaning of the name, there is a wide opening for membership in this community of those who have swallowed a similar microbe. Some have promised to pay subscriptions, and proven their right to membership."

Neighborhood friends of H. G. Granger perpetrated a very pleasant surprise party upon Mr. Granger Wednesday evening in honor of his birthday anniversary. Mrs. Stephen Morris and E. M. Wilson won prizes at progressive pedro, and following the refreshments came a series of shadow pictures arranged by A. T. Lukens. Mrs. Seavey won the prize in guessing the pictures.

Mrs. W. H. Dreier will entertain at pedro on Wednesday, February 21.

UP FOR PASSAGE.

FINANCIAL BILL THE ORDER IN THE SENATE.

TELLER OFFERS AMENDMENT

LOOKING TO ANOTHER MONETARY CONFERENCE.

MACRUM AFFAIR IN HOUSE

CONGRESSMAN WHEELER HAS A RESOLUTION.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Notwithstanding that this is the last day of the debate on the financial bill in the senate comparatively little interest seemingly was manifested in either the debate or the voting and but a few people were in the galleries.

The routine business being concluded the financial bill was laid before the senate, the pending question being the amendment offered by the finance committee and reading as follows:

"Provisions of this act are not intended to place any obstacles in the way of the accomplishment of international bimetallism, provided the same be secured by concurrent action of the leading commercial nations of the world and at a ratio which shall insure the permanence of relative value between gold and silver."

Mr. Hoar, of Massachusetts, said the double standard of gold and silver had not only been accepted by the people, but had been embodied in the constitution itself. But when by the action of other nations this country was forced to accept a single standard it was forced to accept the most valuable metal. We shall get the double standard when the opportunity came. There was, therefore, no presence of hypocrisy in the pending amendment.

Mr. Morgan, of Alabama, denounced the pending amendment as "a miserable make-shift, which is intended to cover the lacerations of wounded conscience."

He declared the bill would return us to the British system of finance.

Mr. Platt, of Connecticut, said that whatever may be said about "imperialism" or "the toiling masses," the issue will be the same as four years ago—whether or not we shall have a silver standard in the United States.

Mr. Cockrell declared that "the crime of '76 was a crime against man, against God, against humanity and against Christianity."

As a vote was about to be taken on the committee amendment Mr. Teller offered the following substitute for it:

"The people of the United States are in favor of the bimetallism and desirous of an international agreement with the great comercial nations of the world that will admit of the use of both gold and silver at such an established ratio as will maintain the parity between gold and silver coins and the efforts of the government are hereby pledged to endeavor to secure such an international agrement as speedily as possible."

The Teller amendment to the committee amendment was defeated—27 to 45.

The committee amendment was adopted, 45 to 30.

THE MACRUM INCIDENT.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Representative Wheeler today introduced in the house the following resolution:

"Whereas, Chas. E. Macrum, late a consul of the government of the United States at Pretoria, in the Transvaal republic, over his own signature, charges 'when this (his) mail was finally forwarded to me after Colonel Stowe, the American consul general at Cape Town has secured its release. I had the humiliation as the representative of the American government of sitting in my office in Pretoria and looking upon envelopes bearing the official seal of the American government opened and officially sealed with a sticker, notifiying me that the contents had been read by the censor at Durban,' and

"Whereas, He further states in the same article 'when I accepted my post as consul I knew nothing of any secret alliance between America and Great Britian,' therefore be it

"Resolved, By the house that the secretary of the state is directed to inform the house of representatives if said Charles E. Macrum, as consul of the American government, had informed the state department that his official mail had been opened and read by the British censor at Durban and if so what steps, if any, have been taken to obtain an explanation and apology from the British government.

"Section 2. He is further directed to inform the house of representatives what truth there is in the charge that a secret alliance exists between the republic of the United States and the empire of Great Britain."

The speaker referred the resolutions to the foreign affairs committee.

The first hour in the house was spent in passing some resolutions for additional clerk hire for committes, after which the house went into committee of the whole and resumed consideration of the legislative appropriation bill. Mr. Boutelle, of Illinois, opened with some general remarks about the approaching presidential contest.

ARE ATTACKED BY BOLOMEN

FIVE THOUSAND INSURGENTS MASS AT DAROGA.

Assaulted the American Garrison in a Church and Were Repulsed After a Hard Fight.

Manila, Feb. 15.—Insurgent forces estimated to number 5,000 soldiers, mostly bolomen, attacked the American garrison in the convent at Daroga, in the province of Albay, during the night of February 5. They were repulsed, however, after they had burned much of the town. One lieutenant wounded was the only loss sustained by the Americans.

OF UNSOUND MIND.

This morning Justices Huser and Tancey and Drs. G. L. Greenawalt and E. J. McOscar, sitting as a commission in lunacy, found John Andrews to be of unsound mind. Mr. Andrews was manager of the Polk Directory company in Fort Wayne, and his mind was first affected on January 1. He is forty-five years old and married.

MOYNIHAN FOR SECRETARY.

The Indianapolis Journal today prints a story to the effect that it has been practically decided by Chairman Martin to appoint A. J. Moynihan, editor of the Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette, secretary of the state central committee. Mr. Moynihan said to a Sentinel reporter that he knew nothing of the chairman's intentions and that there was not anything in the story.

THREE ASPHYXIATED.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Mrs. Jeannette Schwartz and her two children, Lulu, aged 9 years, and Henrietta, 4 months old, were found dead in bed here today, the result of asphyxiation.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Alfred T. Thurman and Dorathe Witte.

Jacob Wauer and Mary Miller.

LOCAL NEWS.

Walter Snyder has taken a position in the Nickel Plate restaurant.

C. E. Baker, of Kendallville, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

The Women's Missionery society of Westminster church will meet in the chapel at 2:30 Friday afternoon

Dr. H. A. Duemling will be the guest of honor at a stag supper to be given this evening by Dr. B. Von Sweringen.

Edward Lilly, A. N. Ulerich and Frank Meyers, of Columbia City, transacted business in Fort Wayne Wednesday.

C. C. Powell has received 1,000 copies of his late song, "The Casket in the Clay," and they will be placed on sale in the several music stores of the city.

Emmett Shanks, a prominent truckman of Huntington, transacted business in Fort Wayne yesterday.

Daniel Krupf and daughter, Edith, of Toledo, arrived in the city on Wednesday to attend the wedding of Miss Dorathea Witte.

Mrs. Charles Dasler entertained the East End Progressive Pedro club last evening. The rooms were prettily decorated and delicious refreshments were served.

Miss Mabel Greenick very pleasantly entertained the members of the Epworth League of Simpson M. E. church at her home, corner of Clinton street and Woodland avenue.

A cottage prayer meeting of the congregation of the Simpson M. E. church will be held this evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Bricker, of 25 Oliver street. Rev. T. J. Johnson will conduct the services.

TO BUY A JUDGE.

EFFORT TO BRIBE MONTANA SUPREME COURT.

WHAT JUSTICE HUNT SAYS

WAS OFFERED $100,000 IN WELCOME CASE.

WOULD NOT BE CORRUPTED

SENSATIONAL TESTIMONY IN THE CLARK CONTEST.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Sensational testimony was adduced in the inquiry into the election of Senator Clark, of Montana, today, before the senate committee on elections, when Justice Hunt, of the Montana supreme court, stated that he had been offered $100,000 as a bribe to throw out of court the case in disbarment proceedings against Attorney Welcome.

Justice Hunt's testimony created a profound impression. He detailed four conversations he had with Dr William Tracey, of Helena, in two of which he believed the doctor had attempted to lay before him a proposition to bribe him in the Welcome case.

The first of these had occurred the fifth of last August in Dr. Tracey's office, the supreme court of Montana having just previously held that it had jurisdiction in the Welcome disbarment proceedings. Justice Hunt had been taken into a back room of Dr. Tracey's office, where the doctor had said he had a "funny kind of proposition which has come up for you." Justice Hunt then related that Dr. Tracey thought the case against Welcome ought to be and could be thrown out of court. Dr. Tracey finally said:

"There is a party here who has got $100,000 who wants to put it up if that case can be thrown out of court."

Justice Hunt said that he had replied to Mr. Tracey that "not all the money in the United and Anaconda mines together, with every dollar that Daly and Clark are both worth and that there is in the banks, would induce me to sacrifice my conscience to the extent of granting an additional time in this or any other case. The Welcome case must go forward just as any other case would."

Justice Hunt said he had then gone to his home and that about 5:30 in the afternoon Dr. Tracey had come to his house and had sought another interview with him, saying that he understood that one of the supreme court justices had been secured in favor of the proposition which had previously been made.

To this Justice Hunt said that he had replied that he did not believe this to be true as he considered both the chief justice and the associate judge, Mr. Taggott, men beyond reproach.

Afterward Dr. Tracey, as Justice Hunt's family physician, had advised the justice to resign from the bench on account of his health, he having been threatened with lung trouble. If he would accept the "proposition" he could take a rest, go abroad, visit the Paris exposition, have nothing to worry about and thus indefinitely prolong his stay. Justice Hunt had replied that he appreciated the desirability of all that, but could not accept the proposition.

The matter did not come up between them again until November 14 when he met Dr. Tracey on the street and later had asked him if no change had come over his mind. Justice Hunt said that he had replied in the negative, saying that he had supposed that their last conversation had ended the matter between them as he would not swerve from his position "to save my own life or the lives of my children."

He had first related the fact of the propositions being made to him on the night of August 18th when his associate, Justice Piggott, had come to his house and related that he had been approached on the same day.

At the close of the direct examination, which had been conducted almost entirely by Chairman Chandler, Mr. Faulkner, on behalf of Senator Clark, made a formal motion to strike the testimony of Justice Hunt out of the record because it had failed to connect the name of Mr. Clark with the proceeding and was entirely collateral.

The motion was overruled and the cross-examination proceeded. Justice Hunt said that before Dr. Tracey had made the proposition to him he had considered him a man of pre-eminently good character.

He did not believe the doctor had stopped to think of the enormity of the proposition and he still regarded him as a good man.

Witness said he had first told his story to Justice Piggott, next to Judge Brantley, afterward to Judge DeWitt; never to Attorney General Nolan. He understood that Judge Piggott had told Attorney General Nolan.

Piggott, so far as he knew, had no affiliation with Daly. Asked why he did not bring the matter to the attention of the public prosecutor, Judge Hunt replied that he was so humiliated he did not care to disclose it; he preferred not to.

Q.—You preferred to allow the attempt to perpetrate such a crime to go unpunished?

A.—It would have been embarrassing to me as a judge.

Q.—It was a contempt of court.

A.—I did not take notice of it.

Witness said Judge Piggott felt the same way about it. He had immediately notified his brother judges after the interviews of August 5 and after the interview of November 14 he had immediately gone to the court and notified the chief justice.

After some further examination Justice Hunt was excused and the committee adjourned until 7:30 p. m.

SUES FOR LOSS OF HIS TOOLS

JAMES SCOTT DEMANDS $1,000 FROM THE WABASH.

Ninde & Sons Filed the Complaint—News Gathered in the Courts.

In the circuit court this afternoon Ninde & Sons, attorneys for James Scott, filed a suit for $1,000 damages against the Wabash railway. Scott is a stonecutter and lived in Fort Wayne. He secured a job in Indianapolis and shipped his tools to the capital. The tools were lost somewhere on the Wabash railway and Scott lost his job and now asks the railway to pay him $1,000 damages.

NOTES.

Judge O'Rourke has dismissed the case of Susan R. Shoaff vs. Rosa L. Wertman.

Rudolph Lupkin, guardian of August Lupkin, files his final report and asks to be discharged.

The will of the late John Q. Lyle has been filed for probate.

The circuit court jury convicted Thomas L. Roach of assault and battery and assessed a fine of $15 and costs.

The case of the state vs. Deiderick Brandt, who was charged with selling meat on Sunday was dismissed on motion of the prosecuting attorney. The case of the state vs. Fred Shuling for assault and battery was also dismissed.

The circuit court jury has been discharged until March 9.

The claim docket will be again called on Monday, February 19.

The case of Silas Van Horn vs. the Pennsylvania company and David D. Jones vs. the Pennsylvania, have been dismissed.

Christian Hoevel has qualified as guardian of Agnes S. Hoevel et al., minor heirs of William Hoevel.

WABASH PRISONER HERE.

Marshal Coppick, of Wabash, was in the city today with a prisoner named Lindenfelder. Several weeks ago the marshal attempted to arrest Lindenfelder and the fellow shot the officer two or three times. The injuries were not dangerous, but Coppick had sworn to get his man and finally located him in Garrett. He was en route home with his prisoner today and locked him in the county jail between trains.

TAKE CARE OF GARBAGE.

Chairman Eggemann, of the board of works, said this morning that housekeepers must hereafter keep the refuse separate from old cans, broken dishes, etc., or the garbage contractor would not haul it away. The new crematory has been finished and the retorts will be done next week. After that the ordinance concerning garbage will be enforced to the letter.

The anniversary of the Duodecimo club was observed Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. M. Foster, on West Wayne street. The members were attired in costumes to represent famous characters in fiction and the names of books, and prizes were given for correctly guessing them. The prizes were won by Mrs. Frances Moore and Mrs. Frank Riblet. Luncheon was served in the dining room, which was appropriately decorated for the occasion. During the afternoon Miss Mary Gibson contributed vocal selections, accompanied by Mrs T. E. Ellison.

SUES FOR $20,000

IMPORTANT CASE IN UNITED STATES COURT.

MR. BRANDON WANTS DAMAGES

WAS CRUSHED BETWEEN ENGINE AND SEPARATOR.

GOES AFTER MANUFACTURERS

COMPOSITION EFFECTED IN THE BAILER MATTER.

Judge Baker has sent the damage suit of Alvah Brandon vs. The Minneapolis Threshing Machine company to the United States circuit court at Fort Wayne for trial at the next term of court. Mr. Brandon is a resident of DeKalb county, and his action was originally filed in the DeKalb circuit court. He wants damages to the amount of $20,000, together with other proper relief from the Minneapolis people.

In his complaint Mr. Brandon sets forth that he had purchased from the Minneapolis company a threshing machine, in which the builders had placed a rotten, defective and wormeaten tongue; that it was attached to a traction engine operated by Brandon, and while descending a hill during 1897, the tongue of the separator broke, allowing the machine to crash into the engine, planting Brandon between the tables of the separator and the engine, boiler and fire-box, holding him there twenty minutes before he could be extricated; that he was thereby crushed, buried, mangled and bruised about the hands, face, back, body and legs, and was unconscious for a long time; that he was injured painfully, and asks that the court award him damages therefor to the amount of twenty thousand dollars.

D. D. Moody and P. V. Hoffman, of Auburn, are attorneys for plaintiff, while Fred Winter, of Indianapolis, and J. E. and J. H. Rose, of Auburn, represent the defendant.

EFFECT A COMPOSITION.

A composition has been effected with the creditors in the bankruptcy matter of Jacob Baller, and Attorney J. B. Harper has gone to Indianapolis to perfect the agreement before Judge Baker. The creditors will receive thirty cents on the dollar for their claims.

MINE OWNERS MEET.

At the Randall hotel this morning a number of leading stockholders in the Dahlonega Gold Mining company, of Dahlonega, Ga., were in conference with a Fort Wayne gentleman with reference to a proposition connected with the development of their property. Those present were Capt. G. H. Breyman and Frank C. Thomson, of Toledo; J. G. Rosenthal and F. R. Adams, of Delaware, Ohio; Hon. S. S. Shutt, of Spencerville, and Dick Townsend, of Decatur. When asked concerning the meeting this morning the gentlemen declined to enter into particulars at this time, but it is intimated that Fort Wayne machinery may be largely used in the mining operations of this company. The stockholders are confident they have a bonanza, and state that none of the stock is on the market. Captain Breyman, who is a leading spirit in the organization, is also largely interested in California mines, and is one of the most prominent of Toledo capitalists. Captain Breyman left at noon for Toledo.

WEDDING WAS A SURPRISE.

Announcement of the marriage of Jacob L. Boehrer and Miss Josie L. Bearinger was a complete surprise to the numerous friends of the young couple, not even their most intimate acquaintances being aware of the contemplated nuptials. The marriage was solemnized Tuesday evening at the residence of and by Rev. T. J. Johnson, of Simpson M. E. church, and Mr. and Mrs. Boehrer at once took up their residence in a home which they had fitted up without the knowledge of their friends. Both bride and groom have for some years been employes of the Fox baking establishment.

Councilman Poirson is quite ill at his East Columbia street home. He was visited yesterday by the mayor, city clerk and city councilmen and expressed to them a belief that his condition was improving and that he would soon be able again to attend to his duties.

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PIONEER IS DEAD.

MRS. LUCINDA BRIANT EXPIRED AT MIDNIGHT.

CAME TO FORT WAYNE IN 1841

WIDOW OF EX-COMMISSIONER W. H. BRIANT.

AUGUST N. EHLE IS CALLED

OTHER MORTUARY MATTERS OF THE DAY.

Mrs. Lucinda A. Briant, for nearly sixty years a resident of Fort Wayne, and well known among the older families of the city, died just before midnight at her home, No. 80 West Creighton avenue. Mrs. Briant was the widow of the late William H. Briant, formerly county commissioner, who for many years was actively identified with the history and growth of Fort Wayne and Allen county.

Mrs. Briant had reached the advanced age of 78 years, 9 months and 5 days, and her death was due to the infirmities of age. For some time she had been failing in strength, and during the past three weeks had been unable to leave her room. For several days friends have realized that the end could not be long deferred, and shortly after midnight the aged pioneer lady peacefully breathed her last.

Lucinda A. Erwin was born in Belmont county, Ohio, May 9, 1821, and came with her parents to Fort Wayne January 12, 1841, making the journey overland in wagons through the sparsely settled country. Her parents located at the western edge of the city, where they resided until their death. Miss Erwin was united in marriage to William H. Briant in this city November 16, 1843, and their wedded life of nearly fifty years was an ideal one. Among the earlier Fort Wayne families with which Mr. and Mrs. Briant were on terms of close friendship were those of Dr. Ayres, P. J. Wise, O. W. Jefferds and Henry Sharpe, as well as numerous others whose names were familiar in pioneer days. Mr. Briant died in September, 1892. He was a brother of Col. C. E. Briant, now of Huntington.

To Mr. and Mrs. Briant were born six children, all of whom survive. Miss Julia Briant, a teacher in the Fort Wayne schools, lived with the mother at her home on Creighton avenue. Two other daughters, Mrs. H. T. Mills and Mrs. C. K. Fairfield, also reside in this city. There are three sons—D. A. Briant, of Stanton, Mich., who was with his mother when she passed away; Otto R. Briant, of Dayton, Ohio, and Charles F. Briant, of Livingston, Ky. Mrs. Briant has one brother, Richard K. Erwin, a prominent farmer of Aboite township. Attorney Richard K. Erwin, of Decatur, is a nephew.

Mrs. Briant was a devoted Christian and was one of the oldest members of the Presbyterian church in this city. She united with the First Presbyterian church December 4, 1842, and has remained a consistent follower of the Savior's teachings. In 1870 she transferred her membership to the Third Presbyterian church, in which she held membership until the time of her death. In her the ennobling qualities of womanhood were found to the highest degree, and her life was a constant aim to help those around her. This found response in the regard and esteem which every acquaintance entertained for the aged pioneer whose eyes opened today upon a new and better world.

The funeral services will be held from the residence on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and will be private. Rev. Dr. McGaw, of the Third Presbyterian church, will officiate.

EHLE.

After a prolonged period of suffering, August N. Ehle, one of the best known German residents of the city, died at 1 o'clock this morning at his home, 180 Broadway, from general debility.

Mr. Ehle had reached the age of 72 years. He was a native of Germany and emigrated to America in 1851, coming almost immediately to Fort Wayne. For many years he has conducted a cigar factory on Broadway, and was widely known among the older people of the city. He had been in poor health for several years. Surviving him are the widow and two sons, Henry, a brick mason, and Frank, a cigar maker, who has been employed in his father's factory.

Mr. Ehle was a man of kindly disposition and sterling integrity, and his death will be sincerely regretted by a large circle of friends. He was a devoted member of the Emmanuel's Lutheran church.

The funeral services will be held on Sunday afternoon at 1:30 from the residence and at 2 o'clock from Emmanuel's Lutheran church, Rev. Wambsganss officiating.

ROYAL LEAGUE BANQUET.

The members of the Royal league, at their meeting Wednesday evening, decided to give a banquet in Harmony hall on February 28, and a committee was appointed to invite the supreme officers of the lodge to be present. The supreme officers who are expected to attend are Charles E. Piper, supreme scribe; J. E. Bonnell, supreme archon; W. E. Hyde, vice supreme archon, and five members of the advisory board. W. S. Wells, of this city, who was elected grand archon at a recent state meeting, was present and gave an account of the proceedings. M. B. Brandt, of Chicago, also made an address. The election of Mr. Wells will have the effect of locating the state headquarters in the city.

LOCAL NEWS.

William C. Castle, of Dubuque, Iowa, is the guest of city friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Dal Green, of Galion, Ohio, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Gates.

Mrs. Mailoy went to New York yesterday to lay in a stock of spring millinery goods.

Mrs. Wesley Johnson, of 342 West Jefferson street, recently suffered a hemorrage of the lungs.

The Iroquois club will give a masquerade ball at its hall on South Hanna street next Monday evening.

Mrs. Van Perrine will give a children's party for her daughter, Edna, on Saturday evening from 7 to 10 o'clock.

Mesdames S. J. Peabody, A. A. Adams, L. N. Keller and Julia Shoff, of Columbia City, were visitors in Fort Wayne Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O'Connor returned this morning from Parkersburg, W. Va. Mrs. O'Connor will be remembered as Miss Nora Hoenig, who was formerly employed in The Sentinel bindery.

Chas. J. Goheen, a prosperous farmer of Plain View farm, Eel River township, had his right ankle badly bruised while logging last Monday. He will be confined to his home for a week or more.

Anselm Fuelber, city editor of the Staatz-Zeitung, contemplates making a trip to his birthplace in Germany, and he will be accompanied by his family. Mr. Fuelber will probably start in the spring.

Attorney T. J. Logan has returned from Atlanta, Ga., where he has been visiting Mrs. Logan, who is spending the winter in the south for the benefit of her health. She is somewhat improved, but will not return to Fort Wayne until in April.

The entertainment to have been given last month by the Hibernians, but which was postponed on account of the death of the bishop, will be given on Wednesday evening, February 21st. Capt. J. E. Ford and Lieutenant Sullivan compose the arrangement committee.

A. H. Maxwell entertained a party of the "best people on earth" at his home on East Washington street, Wednesday evening. No special effort is necessary to entertain a party of Elks, for when they come together there is sure to be fun. Cards were played, after which refreshments were served.

At 11 o'clock Wednesday night fire destroyed a shed in the Pfeiffer feed yard in the rear of the Randall hotel. The department was called and prevented the spread of the flames, confining the damage to the loss of the shed, valued at about $25. The fire is believed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Miss Stella Soliday was hostess for a valentine party Wednesday evening and her guests passed a most enjoyable evening. The earlier part of the evening was devoted to progressive pedro, prizes being won by Miss Jennie Mougin and W. C. Kelley. A dainty luncheon was served at the close of the games.

Yesterday Mrs. Cecelia Costigan, who is eighty-eight years old, celebrated her birthday by having a family reunion, at which there were twelve children and grand-children present. The only member of the family besides the old lady residing in this city is James Costigan, of the electric works.

The amateur base ball players of Fort Wayne are already discussing the organization of a city league to play during the summer. Some of the best players of last season will probably be signed to play in towns surrounding Fort Wayne, but the lots are full of coming ball players and their places can be filled with the stars of the future.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Miller, of 16 Breck street, were very pleasantly surprised Wednesday evening when a merry crowd of their friends called to help them celebrate their first wedding anniversary. Games were played and a fine musical program was rendered by Will and Fred Mertz, after which an elegant luncheon was served and the crowd left at a late hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Miller many more happy anniversaries.

THE POLITICAL POT

HON. R. S. TAYLOR SUGGESTED AS A CANDIDATE

FOR INDIANA GOVERNORSHIP

HON. FRANK B. POSEY IS IN FORT WAYNE.

TO FIX DATE FOR CONVENTION

DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMEN WILL MEET NEXT MONDAY.

The Indianapolis Press of Wednesday afternoon printed the following as a leader in its political gossip:

"There was a good deal of talk in political circles today to the effect that Robert S. Taylor, of Fort Wayne, will be drawn into the race for the republican nomination for governor. It is said that his name was sprung in a quiet way by his friends as a feeler at the meeting of the State League of Republican clubs, and that they are more than gratified at the expressions heard in his favor.

"Politicians that were here today express the belief that his name will be announced in the list of candidates and his nomination urged on the ground that he is a man of a great deal of weight and just the kind of man needed to head the ticket.

"It is known that his leading friends of the Twelfth district have refrained from entangling alliances, and that they are in a position to give him loyal support if he decides to make the race."

This is the first and only intimation that Judge Taylor was being considered as a candidate for the governorship. A Sentinel reporter showed the item to Mr. Taylor this morning and his only reply was: "I hadn't seen it and didn't tell anybody anything of the kind." He declined to say more, but a canvass of his backers in the senatorial race demonstrated that there was no truth in the story.

Charles R. Lane, who was at the Anderson convention, said that he hadn't heard Judge Taylor's name mentioned in any such connection. He did not believe there was anything in the story.

Other republicans were also interviewed by The Sentinel and not one of them believed that Judge Taylor would even consider the governorship.

There is no doubt whatever that an attempt is being made to force Hon. John W. Baker and Hon. J. N. Babcock out of the race for the lieutenant-governorship and present another man for the place. This is being done in the interest of a certain candidate for the governorship and the result is undoubtedly going to be no Twelfth district candidate on the republican state ticket.

HON. FRANK B. POSEY HERE.

Hon. Frank B. Posey, of Evansville, is in Fort Wayne looking up his gubernatorial fences. Mr. Posey, in company with R. B. Hanna, called on the republican leaders in the city today and discussed with them the prospects of him getting any votes from Allen county. When seen by a Sentinel reporter Mr. Posey said that he believed his chances for the nomination were better than any other candidate's. He would have the solid vote of "the pocket" and scattering votes in all parts of the state. Mr. Posey has more personal friends throughout Indiana than any other candidate and was assured that some of the Allen county delegates would vote for him.

The biggest portion of the Allen county vote, however, will go to Hon. W. T. Durbin and John L. Griffiths. Were it not for the fact that Mr. Griffiths resided in Indianapolis it is believed that almost every delegate from this county would vote for him, but local republicans are not in favor of Indianapolis "hogging" both senatorships and the governorship.

DEMOCRATS TO MEET.

William Kaough, member of the Indiana democratic state committee, has called a meeting of county chairmen of the Twelfth district to be held at the Randall hotel next Monday. At this meeting the date for the convention to nominate a congressman will be fixed. Chairman Kaough is desirous of fixing the date as soon as possible so that delegates to the congressional convention from Allen county can be selected on the same date as the delegates to the county convention.

Harry Sprague, who has been associated in business with Mason Long, will soon leave for the west in the hope of benefiting his health, which has been much impaired for several months.

A case of scarlet fever is reported at No. 150 Smith street.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Wheat opened easier, May a shade under yesterday at 68¾@68⅞c, early cables not being encouraging. May sold off to 68⅝c, but reacted on a better tone in later cables to 69⅛c. On profit-taking May receded to 68¾@68⅞c, but rallied immediately to 69⅛c. Severe weather and more damage to the crop were reported from France. Local receipts were 41 cars, none of contract grade. Minneapolis and Duluth reported five hundred cars, against 300 last week and 250 a year ago.

May wheat sold up to 69⅛@69¼c and closed strong, ⅛c over yesterday at 69c. The strength of corn was a factor. New York reported 32 boat loads taken for export; 100,000 bushels were reported sold here. Trade was active to the end.

Corn was strong, supported by small country offerings and the big cash business done. Receipts here were 468 cars. May opened unchanged at 34⅝@34¾c, touched 34¾@34⅞c, sold off to 34⅝c and rose to 35⅛c.

The strength and activity in corn made that market the center of interest. Supports, besides small country offerings, were the large cash business done today and increased speculative demand. May gradually worked, without a material setback, to 35⅛c and closed ⅝c over yesterday at 35¼@35⅜c.

The oats market was quiet but steady with corn. Local receipts were 181 cars. May opened unchanged at 23¾c and advanced to 23⅞@24c.

Provisions were steady without much feature early. May pork opened 2½@5c up at $10.90, sold off to $10.82½ and rallied to $10.92½. May lard opened a shade higher at $6.05@6.07½ and eased off to $6.02½. May ribs opened a shade down at $5.95, sold off to $5.92½ and reacted to $5.97½.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Feb., 67¼c; May, 69c; July, 69⅝c.

Corn—Feb., 33⅝c; May, 35¼@35⅜c; July, 35⅝c.

Oats—Feb., 23½c; May, 24c; July, 23c.

Pork—Feb., $10.85; May, $11.00; July, $11.02½@11.05.

Lard—Feb., $5.95; May, $6.07½; July, $6.15@6.17½.

Ribs—Feb., $5.95; May, $6.02½@6.05; July, $6.05.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.60; Cash S. W., $1.60; May, $1.60; Sept., $1.16; Oats, $1.14.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 9,000; market strong to 10c higher, including Texas steers and bulls; butchers' stock and canners firm; stockers and feeders quiet, steady.

Beeves, $4.00@6.00; cows, $3.00@4.50; heifers, $3.25@4.85; canners, $2.20@2.90; stockers and feeders $3.25@4.75; Texas fed beeves, $4.00@4.50.

Hogs—Receipts today, 34,000; tomorrow, 25,000; left over, 7,451. Market firm, active; top, $5.00. Mixed and butchers, $4.75@4.97½; good to choice heavy, $4.90@5.00; rough heavy, $4.75@4.85; light, $4.70@4.92½; bulk of sales, $4.85@4.95.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 15.—London advanced the price of Americans before the opening here on the favorable developments in the British campaign in South Africa. Prices of the railroads advanced all around. Baltimore and Ohio was the only railroad stock to rise as much as a point. The specialties were rather irregular Tennessee Coal lost 2 points and Federal Steel a point. Sugar quickly lost an opening gain and Third Avenue as quickly recovered an opening loss. The upward tendency of prices was checked by heavy selling of Sugar and Third Avenue, which were 2@2½ respectively. Sharp losses also occurred in Tennessee Coal, Federal Steel, Wheeling and Lake Erie first preferred and Tobacco and Rubber issues. Before 11 o'clock covering in Sugar rallied it to 11 and caused a better tone all around.

Concerted bidding up of the metal stocks caused advances of 1½ in the group. Other stocks also came into demand. Sugar rallying to the best and Manhattan, Rubber, Third Avenue and the Tobaccos recovering 1@1½ points. Railroad stocks were maintained above yesterday's close. There was very little doing in bonds and price changes were mixed.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Feb. 15.—Butter—Receipts, 6,468 pkgs; market steady; June creamery, 19@23c; Western creamery, 21@25c; factory, 16@19c.

Cheese—Receipts, 547 pkgs; market firm; full made fancy large, 12¾@13c; full made fancy small, 12¾@13c; choice grades, 11¾@12c.

Eggs—Receipts, 18,234 pkgs; market strong; western, 13½c at mark.

Sugar—Raw steady; refined steady.

Coffee—Market barely steady; No. 7 Rio, 8¾c.

Molasses—Market firm but quiet.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Feb. 15.—Money on call steady at 2¼ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent; sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.87½@4.87¾ for demand and at $4.84¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.85 and $4.88½; commercial bills, $4.83½@4.83¾; silver certificates, 59¾@61c; bar silver, 59½c; Mexican dollars, 47½c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Feb. 15.—Government bonds steady:

U. S. 2s registered 102½
U. S. 3s registered 109⅜
U. S. 3s coupon 109⅜
U. S. 4s registered (new) 134
U. S. 4s coupon (new) 134
U. S. 4s registered (old) 114⅞
U. S. 4s coupon (old) 114⅞
U. S. 5s registered 112¾
U. S. 5s coupon 112¾

A horse attached to a wagon of the Mondamin Meadows dairy was struck by a Belt line car on Broadway at Wall street Wednesday afternoon and was so badly injured that it was necessary to kill the animal.

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LOST—Yesterday, a Llewellyn setter; black nose, lemon ears, brown spot in center of head; answers to name of Duke. Finder will be rewarded for his return to C. F. Tagtmeyer, 12 Summit street.

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Monday, February 19.
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"THE CITY OF NEW YORK."
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Tuesday and Wednesday, Feb. 20 and 21.
W. A. Brady and Thos. O'Rourke will present the Biograph Pictures of the
Jefferies-Sharkey Contest,
Which took place at Coney Island Sporting Club, Nov. 3, 1899. Every detail of the entire 25 rounds will be given. These are the original pictures from the New York Theatre, N. Y., where they were exhibited to crowded houses for 36 performances.
PRICES—Night, 75c, 50c, 25c. Matinee, 50c; children, 25c. Seats on sale Monday.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CONGRESS.

I hereby announce my name as a candidate for congress for the Twelfth congressional district, subject to the decision of the democratic congressional convention.
SAMUEL M. HENCH.
Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 12, 1900.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for representative, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, March 24.
CHAS. L. DRUMMOND.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for representative of Allen county (second term), subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
GEORGE B. LAWRENCE.

SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. JOHN H. AIKEN.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
THOMAS E. ELLISON.

JUDGE CIRCUIT COURT.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the Allen circuit court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
EDWARD O'ROURKE.

SHERIFF.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
FRANK H. WHITNEY.

To the Voters of Allen County:—I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination for sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic convention to be held this year.
FRANK FALKER.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce that I will be a candidate for sheriff of Allen county before the democratic nominating convention, subject to its decision. GEO. W. STOUT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce my name as a candidate for both the long and short terms of county commissioner of the First district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
A. R. SCHNITKER.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner of the First district, for the regular term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
CHRISTIAN SCHLAUDROFF.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for county commissioner from the First district for the regular term, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
FREDERICK W. FRANKE,
Madison Township.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner of the Second district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
BENJ. M'QUISTON,
Washington Township.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I am a candidate for county commissioner from the Second district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
M. L. MOUDY,
Cedar Creek Township.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for re-nomination for county commissioner from Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention. C. E. OREFF.

Editor Sentinel:—The many friends of Charles Griebel desire to announce his name as a candidate for county commissioner of Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention, March 24.

Editor Sentinel—Please announce my name as a candidate for nomination for commissioner of the Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention held March 24.
M. M. THOMPSON.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for nomination for commissioner of the Third district, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention held March 24.
JOHN H. BRANNAN.

FOR CORONER.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce that I will be a candidate for re-nomination for the office of coroner of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.
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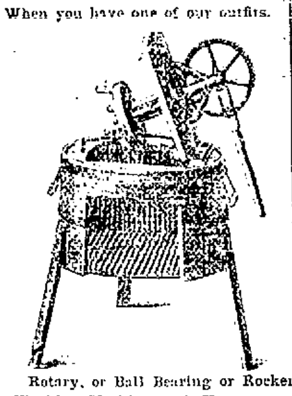

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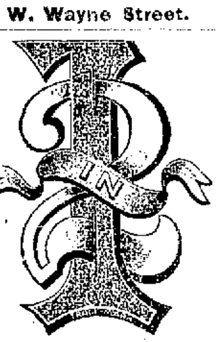

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LOCAL NEWS.

Attorney H. I. Smith is confined to his home by illness.

Peter Forbing, of Decatur, is in the city visiting his brother, John Forbing.

C. E. Baker, of Kendallville, was a visitor in Fort Wayne on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. F. Yarnelle entertains the Winter Picnic club at dinner this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Clark, of Lima, Ohio, visited friends in the city on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Wilson, of Danville, Ill., were in the city on Wednesday.

Miss Rose Senney went to Ridgeville, Ind., on Wednesday to spend a week with relatives.

Rev. J. F. Winter, who visited in Fort Wayne, returned to his home in Huntington yesterday.

J. W. Baker, of the Columbia City Commercial, transacted business in the city on Wednesday.

Hon. Montgomery Hamilton is seriously ill from a nervous condition similar to nervous prostration.

Edward Hall has accepted a position as salesman in the wholesale millinery house of J. A. Armstrong & Co.

Dr. C. Martz has returned from Berne, Ind., where he was called in consultation upon a case of mastoid abcess.

The South Side Loyal Legion Company D. will meet in the South Congregational church Friday afternoon at 4:15.

The ladies of Degree of Honor No. 2 will give a chicken potpie dinner and supper Saturday at their hall, over 107 Calhoun street.

Rev. L. L. Henson, pastor of the Baptist Tabernacle, will preach this evening and tomorrow evening at the Lafayette street mission.

Praise, prayer and testimony meeting at Gospel tabernacle, corner Clinton and Holman streets, Friday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.

The venerable J. R. Walton, whose serious illness has been noted in The Sentinel, has suffered a relapse, with complications, and his condition is critical.

Mr. Shortall, of Chicago, and D. C. Adams, of Zanesville, Ohio, are in the city figuring on the cost of the intercepting sewer, for which bids will be opened next Monday afternoon.

Mesdames Windsor, Beaber, Gillette and Kirckefer will entertain the ladies of Plymouth Congregational church, in the church parlors, Friday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock.

The household goods of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Meyers were yesterday moved from Columbia City to this city by the overland route. Mr. and Mrs. Meyers will make Fort Wayne their future home.

After a faithful service of about nine years, Mrs. E. Hinkel has resigned her position as forelady at the Wayne Knitting mills. She was well liked by all the employes, who will miss her greatly.

Rev. H. N. Smith, the new pastor of Heidelberg Reformed church, returned this morning from a visit at his home in Shamokin, Pa., where he has been for the past two weeks. Mr. Smith will assume charge of his pastorate next Sunday.

Huntington News-Democrat: "S. A. Karn, of Fort Wayne, who had been looking after matters pertaining to locating the piano factory in this city, returned to his home today. He will come to Huntington again the latter part of the week."

A meeting of the building committee of Emmaus Lutheran church was held on Tuesday evening, and the plans, drawn by Architect Meyer, were accepted. Mr. Meyer is engaged in preparing specifications for the new church, and in a short time bids will be received for the construction of the building.

At the monthly meeting of the Christian Endeavor society of the Third Presbyterian church Wednesday evening it was decided to contribute a sum of money for the support of Miss Grace Glenn, the missionary in China. Application was made by the society for membership in the Macedonian Phalanx.

P. A. Randall states that the proposed inter-urban line to Ligonier is no myth. He says that behind it are such men as Oscar Gandy, of Churubusco, Valorious Brown, of Columbia City, and others. The route will connect Fort Wayne with Ligonier, Goshen, Elkhart, South Bend, Mishawaka and Churubusco, and bring Fort Wayne people in a direct route with Blue lake, near Churubusco, and Lake Wawasee.

The young ladies of the Baptist Tabernacle effected the temporary organization of a chorus class, after the prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Miss Lizzie Potter was elected president of the organization, and Miss Mae Williams was elected secretary. A committee on a constitution was elected, and their report will be presented next Wednesday evening, when the organization will be completed. The club starts out with a large membership and every prospect of a successful future.

Mrs. Arthur Gates, of Indianapolis will be the guest of the Misses Megan next week.

Mrs. Charles Saylor and sister, Miss Maud Harrison, left today for Omaha Neb., to visit friends.

About forty ladies and gentlemen were guests at a comic party given by Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Stutz Wednesday evening.

MAKING THEM MOVE.

Superintendent Gorsline a month ago issued an order that all immoral women who lived on East Main street and other down town districts should move. The order gave the women until February 12 to obey, and yesterday an investigation by the police developed that all the places but one had been deserted. This place was locked and the woman in control promised that she would move as soon as a new house she was building was completed. The superintendent says that this order is to be strictly enforced hereafter, and under no circumstances will women be allowed to reside over saloons.

ASSESSORS OF COUNTIES.

All of the arrangements for the conference convention of the state board of tax commissioners and the county assessors of the state have been completed. The convention will be held in the state house at Indianapolis, on Wednesday and Thursday, March 7 and 8. The following program has been arranged for the occasion:

March 7—Organization. Appointment of committees; opening address, James A. Mount, governor; "Exemption and Deductions," W. L. Taylor, attorney general; "Banks and Trust Companies," U. B. Hunt, secretary of state; discussion led by C. D. Sisson, assessor Fulton county; "Sequestered Property," M. S. Walsh, Fort Wayne; "Building and Loan Associations—Pipe Lines," John C. Wingate, tax commissioner; discussion led by W. S. Stewart, assessor Delaware county; adjournment.

March 8—"Corporate Property," W. H. Hart, auditor of state; discussion led by Alpheus Compton, assessor Marion county; "Telephones—Railroad Property," T. B. Buskirk, tax commissioner; discussion led by J. R. Pope, assessor Lawrence county; "Intangible Property," Merrill Moores, assistant attorney general; reports of committees.

MAN AND WIFE.

See Changes as They Change.

To sweeten sour human nature, one of the best methods is to leave off coffee if it gives you dyspepsia or makes you nervous.

"I asked husband this morning to write out a testimonial for the Postum Cereal Co., and from it I quote. 'I am pleased to be able to state that my wife has been cured of sick headaches and "general cussedness" by leaving off coffee and using your Postum Food Coffee. My home is now a happy one.'

"I am forced to admit his joke contains more than a modicum of truth, for I find now I have complete control of my nerves, while formerly I was often irritable, and husband himself has been entirely cured of insomnia by leaving off coffee and taking up Postum. He sleeps now like a baby, from the time he goes to bed, until morning, and perhaps his improvement is partly a reason for his seeing such an improvement in me. At any rate, our sickness and troubles have disappeared.

"I had tried everything for my sick headaches, but as long as I stuck to the coffee, the headache stuck to me. It took us a little while to learn that we must follow the directions in making Postum, in order to obtain a really palatable, delicious beverage. People must get over the idea that they can make it in any kind of a slipshod way to have it good. The great element in making good Postum is to allow it plenty of time to boil. That is certainly simple enough, and when the cook becomes accustomed to making Postum one can depend upon a regular quality every morning.

"I know people who seem to be able to drink coffee, with no bad effects; and on the other hand, I know that probably one-half of all my friends are more or less unpleasantly affected with coffee, when they persist in using it, but Postum has obtained a strong hold since its qualities have become known, and a great many of our friends are steady users of Postum in place of the ordinary coffee, and you may be sure every family that has used Postum for even one month will be ready to testify to the improvement in health.

"If you should publish the letter, please suppress my name, as I have a horror of undue notoriety. If any one will take the trouble to write you for my name and address, I will cheerfully answer any questions that may be asked, and furnish satisfactory evidence to substantiate my statements. Respectfully Mrs. ————, Hyde Park, London, Can.

WILL HOLD A REUNION.

The passenger and freight agents of the Central Traffic association will come to Fort Wayne in force on Friday, March 9, and spend the day in social reunion. There is no business in the session, and the meeting will be unique in the fact that at least 200 of the greatest hustlers in railroad circles will for a day devote their energies to simply having a good time. The committee of arrangements is made up of George T. Pingree, of Chicago, traveling passenger agent of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific; R. O. Rankin, of the Wayne hotel, and R. J. Hamilton, of the Nickel Plate. The Wayne hotel will be headquarters for the guests and Mr. Rankin will serve the banquet in the evening.

ENCOURAGES COUNTY FAIR.

Columbia City Post: "Fort Wayne is making an effort to revive the old-time county fair. The movement is commendable and ought to succeed. The modern street fair is a great fake and is in no way worthy of comparison to the county fair. By reviving the fair now new life and new interest will be inspired and it can be made a greater success than it was years ago. The Post hopes that the efforts of the citizens of Fort Wayne and Allen county to bring back the county fair may be successful."

A NIGHT OF TERROR.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham, of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she would die from pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night, "but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and cured her of consumption. After taking, she slept all night. Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all throat, chest and lung diseases. Only 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Dreier & Bros.' drug store.

WILL BEGIN TO DRILL.

At a meeting of Battery B held Wednesday evening it was arranged to hold drills every Monday evening. The battery will be divided into four sections, each in charge of a sergeant, and the drills will be conducted separately by each section for the present. Later the entire organization will have outdoor drill at the old grounds on Pearl street. The civil officers elected Wednesday evening were: O. S. Jones, president; Alvin Double, secretary; Frederick Meyers, treasurer. Captain Ranke has not yet completed the appointment of the staff of non-commissioned officers.

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LOST—A lace handkerchief Wednesday afternoon on Berry, between Webster and Fulton streets. Return to 163 W. Wayne street and receive reward.

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WANTED—Girl folders at the Fort Wayne Book Bindery.

WANTED.—Five good wood choppers. Good wages at S. Bash & Co.

WANTED.—A girl for general housework at 250 W. Washington St. 15t2

WANTED—To buy a driving horse. Apply to Dr. Harrod, 44 Maumee ave. 12tf

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Inquire 100 West Washington St. 14-3t

WANTED.—A competent girl for general housework in small family. Apply, 45 Hayden street.

WANTED—Young lady will do housework or take care of children. Address Ida Bacon, Hicksville, Ohio.

WANTED—If you want to borrow money, see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

WANTED.—A young man to collect and canvass, with headquarters at Auburn, Ind. Address at once, Collector, box 30, Fort Wayne, Ind. 15t2.

WANTED.—A middle aged woman that would like to secure a good home in a family of two can learn of such a place by calling at 74 Walton avenue soon. 15-27

WANTED.—Will build a 2 or 3 story brick building in a good location for factory or agricultural room for the right party. Address stating particulars. F., care Sentinel. 15-27

WANTED Work—By young man; stranger in city; can show high school diploma and can furnish references. Reply Box 1, Sentinel. 15-3t

WANTED—Pupils to form French, Spanish and Italian classes. One trial lesson free of charge is given to judge superiority of method and teacher. Write to Prof. de Maira, 77 Douglas avenue. 10-6t

WANTED—All afflicted with a cough of long standing, resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs. It has never been known to fail. Call at 35 Fairfield avenue. 24tf

WANTED—If you want money on your household furniture, horses, carriages, pianos and other like security on easy payments, everything left in your possession, call and see us. The Reliance Loan Co., Room 6, Arcade, upstairs; open every evening. 18-1mo

WANTED—Girls for general housework; good wages; have two men wanting work as coachmen or any kind of work; can give best of references; man wants work as clerk in hotel or as packer in wholesale house; good reference. Mrs. Ellen Fitzgerald, 39 West Washington street. 16-tf

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A few good residences and two business rooms in this city. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with board; hot and cold bath; terms reasonable. 29 East Washington street. 2-1mo

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FOR RENT.—Nicely furnished room in private family, centrally located and all conveniences. Address rooms, Box 6, Sentinel. 15-2t

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room; good location; suitable for (2) man and wife; steam heat and bath; with or without board. Inquire 198 West Wayne. 14-6t

FOR RENT—Dwelling, 106 Fairfield avenue; 191 West DeWald street; rooms, 59 West Superior street; 228 Fairfield avenue. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, 7 Court St. 29-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 10-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—New 6-room cottage on West Main St., 45 foot lot; $1,800. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—40 foot frontage on Clinton St., near Jefferson; price $2,300. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—A grocery, doing good business; fixtures also. Address S. F., Box 9, care Sentinel. 14-4t

FOR SALE—I am offering College Place lots on West Wayne street at regular prices. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE 481 Lafayette St., 9 rooms, front hall, open stairs, lot 50x150, $2,700. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Good 6 room house on Madison St., at a bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—New 7 room cottage, Spy Run avenue, near bridge, $1,550. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

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FOR SALE—Or exchange, new business block on Calhoun street, $5,000; will take $1,500 in trade. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf.

FOR SALE—If you want to buy a house, lot or farm; if you want to borrow money or want to sell property, see Bobilya, Room 22, Bank block. 1[illegible]

FOR SALE—A No. 1 investment; new business block less than one square from new court house; rents for $504.00 per year; price, $6,000. L. J. Bobilya, 22 Bank block. 14tf

FOR SALE—A 120-acre river bottom farm; also one of 40 acres; both opposite a German Lutheran church and school, in Maumee township. B. S. Thompson. Old 'phone. 394. 10-6t

FOR SALE—A farm of 95½ acres, two miles west of the center of Aboite township; 10-room house; other buildings good; well watered. Inquire John S. Occleston, on premises. 6-1mo

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For city property two good 80 acre farms, 5 and 10 miles west of Fort Wayne. For sale by the owner, Harry Snyder, Arcola, Allen county, Ind. 13-6t-w1t

FOR SALE—A good family horse, age 11 years, weight 1,200 lbs, chestnut sorrel; an Indianapolis buggy and set of shop-made harness. Address, Rev. E. Campbell, Ossian, Ind. 9t6

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FOR SALE—An eight-room house, on corner lot, desirable location, East Wayne street; fine building lot on Prospect avenue; good farm on Leo road; also some good oak timber. Call on or address, J. H. Payne, 337 E. Wayne St. 12-1mo.

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

THURSDAY, FEB. 15, 1900.

TONIGHT.

Board of Public Works—Regular meeting.

Knights of Labor—Regular meeting in K. of L. hall.

Horseshoers—Regular meeting of Union No. 81, upstairs at corner of Pearl and Harrison streets.

Teamsters—Regular meeting of Union No. 78.

Volunteers of America—Religious services in the armory, No. 203 Calhoun street, near Montgomery.

Lodges—Fort Wayne camp, No. 650, Royal Neighbors of America; Ben Hur court, No. 96; Wayne tent, No. 54, K. O. T. M.; Starlight council, Order of Chosen Friends; Summit City, No. 36, A. O. U. W.; Harmony, No. 19, I. O. O. F.; Liberty council, Knights and Ladies of Columbia; Modern American Fraternal Order; Fort Wayne commandery, No. 4, Knights Templar, stated meeting.

Masonic Temple—Week's events:
Friday Evening—"A Hot Old Time."
Saturday Matinee and Evening—Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" company.

Ex-Consul Macrum had something under his hat when he came from South Africa, but he took his hat off before he began to tell it.

It is hardly necessary to say that the anti-trust conference could have done more good by talking of trusts and the way to prevent them than by having a quarrelsome gabfest.

The ruling of Federal Judge Taft that the United States courts have no jurisdiction in the Kentucky gubernatorial imbroglio makes the pending unpleasantness just what it has been from the first—exclusively a Kentucky war.

In order to set at rest the minds of many township trustees who are undecided whether there will be an election of trustees this fall or not Attorney General Taylor Wednesday gave out an an opinion, in which he holds that an election will be held. The Indianapolis Sentinal says the uncertainty seems to have risen over a circular sent out by some printing houses informing the trustees that their terms of office would not expire until 1903.

The report of George A. H. Shideler, warden of the Indiana prison at Michigan City, filed yesterday with the governor, shows that during the year 1899, 102 men were paroled out of a total of 323 that made application for parole. One hundred and thirty-seven applications for parole were rejected and eighty-seven were continued for further investigation. Men sent up for petit larceny constituted the greatest number of the paroled men.

The appellate court yesterday reversed the judgment recovered by Mrs. Rosa Haller against the Modern Woodman on an insurance policy on her dead husband. The Modern Woodmen maintain that her husband had committed suicide and the policy had thereby become void. Haller was an Evansville shoemaker and a hard drinker. One day he was served with notice that his wife had sued him for divorce and had obtained an order from court forbidding him to come home. He disappeared and his body was found in a creek.

Mr. Hay's great diplomatic victory in negotiating the Nicaragua canal treaty with Great Britain is doomed to a pigeon-hole career in the senate. Notwithstanding Mr. McKinley's efforts in behalf of the convention the senate is overwhelmingly hostile to the pact and as it stands today has no more show of ratification than Roberts had to get into the house. In its present state the treaty is without friends in the senate, and for that matter in the nation. Until it shall provide that the United States may fortify the proposed canal it will not be acceptable. The senate program seems to be not to "rub it in" on the president and Secretary Hay by defeating ratification of the treaty outright, but will be content to shelve it, which in effect is the same as rejecting it.

MACRUM'S STATEMENT.

Charles E. Macrum, who has just returned from Pretoria, where he was until the middle of December the consul of the United States, in a somewhat lengthy statement gives to the public his reasons for leaving his post. The people of the United States will be strongly impressed by the frankness, modesty and evident sincerity of Mr. Macrum's statement. If what he sets forth is true—and there is no apparent reason to doubt that it is true—he was wholly justified in taking the course he did.

The statement Mr. Macrum makes that his official mail was opened and examined by the British military censor at Durban and his official cable messages held up will be humiliating to Americans. It calls for investigation by the state department and if found to be true ought to be followed by the right sort of protest to the British government. Mr. Macrum goes to the length of saying by at least the broadest implication that he was expected to act as a British consul in Pretoria, not merely a neutral consul in charge according to usual diplomatic form of such British interests as were proper and necessary to be in official charge of someone.

Considerable light is thrown on the haste to retire Macrum and succeed him with Adelbert Hay, son of the secretary of the state, while Macrum was on the high sea returning to the United States to report to the state department as he had asked and had received permission to do. Mr. Macrum says, to use his own words, "the situation was such that I could not remain in Pretoria while the government at home continued to leave me in the position of a British consul and not an American consul." He goes on to say that when he accepted his post he "knew nothing of any secret alliance between America and Great Britain," a startling inference that Americans will demand to know more about.

The Macrum incident requires investigation and it will receive attention from the senate, no doubt.

Miss Alice Crane entertained a party of friends on Wednesday afternoon at a "bundle party." Each guest brought a parcel, the contents of which were to be guessed by the others present, and the guesses were written on cards cut in the shape of hearts and ornamented with water color drawings. Miss Lizzie Mahin guessed the most correctly, and Mrs. Fred Thieme was awarded the consolation. There were several out of town guests present.

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BREAKS SILENCE.

STATEMENT ISSUED BY FORMER CONSUL MACRUM.

TELLS WHY HE LEFT PRETORIA

BRITISH CENSOR OPENED HIS OFFICIAL MAIL.

CABLE MESSAGES HELD UP

HINTS AT SECRET ALLIANCE WITH ENGLAND.

Washington, Feb. 14.—The following signed statement was given out last night by Charles E. Macrum, former United States consul to Pretoria:

"The situation in Pretoria was such that, first, as an official, I could not remain there while my government at home was apparently in the dark as to the exact conditions in South Africa. Secondly, as a man and citizen of the United States, I could not remain in Pretoria, sacrificing my own self-respect and that of the people of Pretoria while the government at home continued to leave me in the position of a British consul, and not an American consul.

OBEYED ALL ORDERS.

"I want to say right here that there was no one single request made of me through the department of state looking to the care of British

CHARLES E. MACRUM,
Late United States Consul at Pretoria, South African Republic.

interests in Pretoria which I did not fulfill and report upon, according to my orders. On the other hand, American interests in South Africa were in that condition which demanded that the department of state should be cognizant of them.

"I issued the statement received from the state department that Americans must remain neutral. In the face of this Americans were continually going to the front and taking up arms in the cause of the Boers. I could not help but know that many of these were citizens of the United States. I also knew that many of them, in utter despair at the apparent attitude of our own government, were taking the oath of allegiance to the Transvaal republic.

MAIL IS CENSORED.

"When affairs had reached such a state that my vice consul, Mr. Van Ameringen, closed up his business, took the oath of allegiance to the republic and went to the front as a burgher. I thought the time had come when I should make a report of these conditions.

"It was over four weeks from the time the war opened before I received a single mail dispatch from my government or a personal letter. The mail for the Transvaal had all been stopped at Cape Town by order of the high commissioner.

"When this mail was finally forwarded to me, after Colonel Stowe, the consul general at Cape Town, had secured its release, I had the humiliation, as the representative of the American government, of sitting in my office in Pretoria and looking upon envelopes bearing the official seal of the American government opened and officially sealed with a sticker, notifying me that the contents had been read by the censor at Durban.

CENSOR IS CRITICISED.

"I looked up international law, but failed to find anywhere that one military power can use its own discretion as to forwarding the official dispatches of a neutral government to its representative in a besieged country.

"The mail service from Delagoa Bay to Europe was continually interrupted by the action of British men-of-war at that port. The service was over two weeks longer than by the west coast, and there were continual rumors that the port would be closed and communication with the outside world entirely cut off.

"The cable service for the Transvaal was absolutely cut off. I was privately informed by the Belgian and German consuls at Pretoria that their official cables in code to their governments had been refused by the censor.

CABLES TO WASHINGTON.

"I filed one cable in the interest of an American in Pretoria which was refused absolutely by the censor in Durban. This cable I sent to the fiancee of Mr. Nelson, an American business man in Pretoria. She was on her way to South Africa from Buffalo, N. Y., when the war broke out. According to a letter which Mr. Nelson received just before the war commenced, she was buying her trousseau in Europe. The cable requested her to come by the east coast. When I informed Mr. Nelson that the cable had not been sent his brother took the oath of allegiance to the republic and went to the front.

"But these are simply minor details. The misrepresentations which had been going on before the war and after it opened were of such a serious nature, and would require such detailed explanation, that on the 6th of November I filed a cable to the department in code, stating that I wished leave of absence in order to visit the states. I set forth in this cable that my vice consul had enlisted in the Boer army; that a Mr Atterbury, an American whom I had known very favorably for more than a year, could take charge of the office until my return.

INSTRUCTD TO STAY.

"In reply to this dispatch, which was forwarded without any delay, I received from the department a reply advising me that my presence at Pretoria was important to public interests.

"On the 8th I telegraphed again acknowledging the receipt of the cable and advising the department that the situation was not critical; that Mr. Atterbury was competent; that my presence in America was important. No reply was received and I wired again on the 11th, stating that no reply had been received and again urging favorable reply. No reply was received to this.

"On the 14th of November I again wired the department, stating that I could not leave without permission; that I would forfeit my post if the reasons which I would make to the department did not prove satisfactory. This cable was delayed by the censor until the 2d of December, when I had advices that it had just been forwarded.

TOLD TO COME HOME.

"On the 18th of November I again filed a cable, stating that three of my cables had been unanswered, and stating that a substitute would answer as consul during my absence, and requested a reply. To this I received a reply immediately, which was a reiteration of the reply to my first cable.

"Upon receipt of this reply, which was on the 20th of November, I immediately wrote to the department accepting the refusal to grant my leave, and stating in that letter that I would abide by the decision of the department and attempt to convey an intelligent idea, for the department's guidance, of the conditions there in mail dispatches.

"On the 4th of December I received a reply from the department to my cablegram of the 14th, which I had been informed two days previously had just been forwarded. It read as follows: 'You may come home. Put Atterbury temporarily in charge. Department will send mail from here.' This was signed 'Hay.' Thereupon I cabled the department as follows: 'Sail 18th by Naples.'

HOLLIS IN HIS PLACE.

"This cablegram was sent on the 8th, and in the meantime I prepared to go. A few days later I received a telegram from Mr. Hollis, consul at Delagoa Bay, stating that he had been instructed to come to Pretoria to take charge of my office during my absence and until a man should arrive from Washington. Mr. Hollis arrived on the 14th of December, and was thoroughly posted in the routine of the office, and I introduced him to the heads of all government departments and to my consular colleagues.

"I left Pretoria the night of December 16. I went straight to Paris and notified the department of my presence there, while waiting for the American line boat to sail for New York. I arrived in Washington on Monday, the 5th of February, and reported to Assistant Secretary Hill, of the state department, who officially informed me that Secretary Hay's son had been appointed in my place and that he was on his way to Pretoria.

OBJECT IN RETURNING.

"I appreciated the seriousness of the conditions in South Africa to the extent that on my way to Washington, believing that I was still the consul in Pretoria, I refused to make any statement that would, in any way involve the department or embarrass it. My one object was to lay information before the department as to the true state of affairs in South Africa. If the department thought these facts were of a value sufficient to warrant the expense of the trip I had taken, I expected to be remunerated and return to Pretoria, leaving the department to act as it saw fit upon the facts which I had laid before it.'

"Instead of this I find that Secretary Hay, whether acting upon the reports in the newspapers or upon advice from the British government or some other motive I do not know, saw fit to wait until I could present my reasons in person and has been a silent or conniving partner of discrediting reports of my official acts. I came home to find an attempt has been made to tear down my personal reputation.

DEFENDS HIS COURSE.

"I wish to state right here that when I accepted my post as consul I knew nothing of any secret alliance between America and Great Britain, and that I had seen nothing in the regulations which made the consul of the American republic subject to the whims and caprice of an English military censor at Durban.

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UNION LABEL LEAGUE.

The permanent organization of the Union Label League was effected at a largely attended meeting held Wednesday evening at the city hall, and the corps of officers was completed by the election of H. J. Hoeltje as treasurer. The draft of the committee on constitution and by-laws was taken under advisement until the next meeting to be held at the city hall February 28. The committee to solicit the co-operation of the various unions in the union label movement made most encouraging reports of their progress, and Edward Miller delivered an address on behalf of the United Hatters' union. At the next meeting permanent headquarters will be selected. The following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That the Union Label League endorses the ordinance introduced by Councilman Hench in the city council, providing for the union label on all city printing, and that each member of this league individually pledge himself to do all possible for the passage of the ordinance."

A committee, consisting of two members from each ward, was appointed to wait upon the councilmen individually, upon the council committee having the ordinance in charge, and upon the council at its next meeting, to urge the passage of the measure.

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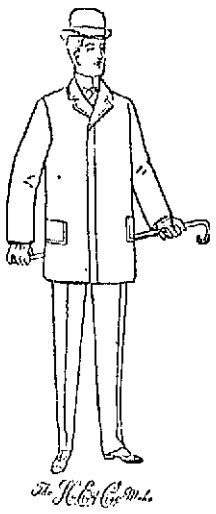

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COUNTY OFFICIAL WAS SHORT

A DEFALCATION DISCOVERED AFTER HIS DEATH.

FOUND GOLD IN BARNYARD

MIAMI COUNTY FARMER WHO DISTRUSTED BANKS.

[Special to The Sentinel.]

Knox, Ind., Feb. 15.—While resisting arrest on a warrant which he had evaded for several months, Hendry Hammond, a young man of 22, was shot in the right breast by Deputy Sheriff George Elder last night. Hammond attempted to shoot the officer, but his revolver missed fire and Elder shot him before he could make a second effort. The wound, while serious, is not believed to be fatal. Hammond was placed in jail here, where a brother is laying out a sentence for assault. They belong to a family frequently in trouble. The warrant served by Elder was for Hammond's participation in a street fight at Ora last fall, in which he slashed ex-Sheriff Harvey with a knife.

RECORDER WALKER SHORT.

Plymouth, Ind., Feb. 15.—An investigation of the office of County Recorder Thomas M. Walker, whose death took place Sunday night, has just been made by the county commissioners, with a view to appointing a successor. It revealed the fact that his accounts were short between $2,800 and $3,000. He pursued a regular method of falsifying his quarterly reports of fees collected and thus retained from $50 to $200 every ninety days that should have been turned into the county treasury. His bondsmen have been notified and will at once reimburse the county. When Mr. Walker's father was told by the county attorney of his son's disgrace he swooned away and was unconscious for several moments. Mr. Walker had always borne a good reputation for honesty and enjoyed the confidence of the people, who twice elected him to the office of recorder. For the past three years he had been indulging freely in the use of strong liquors, and although he was supposed to be somewhat in debt, his honesty in the conduct of the affairs of the office had never been questioned.

Three months ago, when John W. Wiltfong retired from the office of county clerk, his bondsmen made good a shortage of nearly $3,000, and it is further intimated that there are still other sums not yet accounted for. During the sixty odd years the county has been organized these are the only two instances of official misconduct. Politically, it is an even thing, Mr. Walker having been a democrat and Mr. Wiltfong a republican.

BURIED HIS GOLD.

Peru, Ind., Feb. 15.—The heirs of Andrew Binkard, an eccentric farmer who lived near Peoria, this county, are dividing his estate. While the personal property was being considered, John Binkard, a son of the deceased, went to the barn, where, near a pillar of the foundation, he dug from the ground a tin box which contained $1,104 in gold and silver. The old man had no faith in banks and for years secreted his money in the ground. A short time before he died he realized that the end was near, and he made a confident of his son, John, who carried out his father's plans to the letter. Among the gold coins was a $50 gold piece which bears an additional interest at this time from the fact that it was formerly the property of Frances Slocum, the "White Rose of the Miamis," and was given by her to her daughter, Mrs. Peter Bundy, as an heirloom. Later is was pledged to Mr. Binkard for a temporary loan, but was never redeemed.

AVERAGED ONLY TEN BUSHELS.

Goshen, Ind., Feb. 15.—Lank Stiver, a thrasherman, reports that the crop in Elkhart county, averaged less than ten bushels of wheat to the acre last year. He expects the crop to be even less in the approaching season.

CHURCH MADE DEFENDANT.

Rochester, Ind., Feb. 15.—Two years ago Rev. E. T. Spalm was assigned to the Rochester Methodist circuit, and when conference convened he found that charges had been preferred against him by the members of one of his appointments because he had failed to pay his debts. He pleaded in defense that he could not pay because the members had failed to pay his salary, but he was refused an appointment until all obligations had been met. He has now begun suit against the official board of the delinquent church, and the circuit court will decide whether a promise to pay a preacher is binding.

THE BOY IS DYING.

Logansport, Ind., Feb. 15.—William Benjamin, who attempted suicide last Friday by shooting himself with a revolver, is reported dying. He is only twenty years old. He first drove his father from the barn, and then climbed to the haymow and fired the fatal shot.

POWERHOUSE BURNED.

Bluffton, Ind., Feb. 15.—The United Oil and Gas company had a fine powerhouse on the C. J. Wolfe farm, a mile north of Keystone, entirely destroyed by fire Tuesday afternoon, the loss being $2,000. The fire originated in a small shanty adjoining the powerhouse which was used as a sleeping place for the pumpers.

The United Oil and Gas company is composed of Dayton capitalists, and the powerhouse burned was one of the best in the Wells county oil field.

POSTPONED THE NEWSPAPER

Wabash, Ind., Feb. 15.—A. L. Lawshe, deputy sixth auditor of the treasury at Washington, who, in December, it was announced, would establish a new daily and weekly paper in Wabash, has, for the present, at least, decided not to embark in the business. Mr. Lawshe has been here for several days, and gave his friends to understand that he would serve out his official term, which expires in September, 1901, and then would resume newspaper work here or elsewhere.

DAMAGE BY A PHONOGRAPH.

Valparaiso, Ind., Feb. 15.—Peter Rasmussen is made defendant to a novel suit for $1,000 damages in the Porter superior court, filed by Jacob path, a next-door neighbor. Both are old men and residents of Crocker, this county. Spath avers that his peace of mind and his sleep have been greatly disturbed by the defendant's phonograph, which makes "hideous and most obnoxious noises."

NEWSPAPER BY WOMEN.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 15.—The members of the women's clubs of the city issued the Laport Daily Argus yesterday, furnishing every part of the reportorial and editorial work. The entire proceeds will be devoted to the purchase of books for the public library. The Argus dounted the typographical work and the stock. Several thousand extra copies have been sold.

KOKOMO IS "BROKE."

Kokomo, Ind., Feb. 15.—For the first time in many years the city of Kokomo has an empty tresury. At a meeting of the city council last night the claims of the laboring men on the streets were "hung up" for want of funds to pay the men. The large amount of street improvement and lavish expenditures for water and lights has depleted the city treasury.

DEMOCRATS ORGANIZE.

Auburn, Ind., Feb. 15.—The democratic county committeemen met here yesterday and re-elected Cyrus Walters, of Auburn, as chairman; J. M. Milliman, of Concord, vice chairman; John Lochner, of Auburn, secretary and E. P. Fitzgerald, of Garrett, treasurer.

JULES LEVY'S GOOD FORTUNE.

Elkhart, Ind., Feb. 15.—Jules Levy, the famous cornetist, who has been a resident of this city for several years, is in receipt of a letter from his nephew, Joseph L. Levy, an attorney in New York, in reference to an estate in England, valued at many millions, of which both of them are heirs. The property once belonged to Benjamin Levy, who died in 1700, and is said to have been an ancestor of the Messrs. Levy. Advertisements for claimants to the estate have recently appeared in New York papers, and Lawyer Levy says his investigations have greatly encouraged him to make further effort.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Morris McCully, of Lagro township, Wabash county, engaged in a fight with David Miller, sixteen years old, and gave him such a beating that Miller may not recover. McCully has been arrested.

The industrial school projected by the women of Wabash, already has enrolled 182 pupils. Children from three to fourteen years old are eligible to admission, and a dozen and more practical occupations are taught.

Louis Kantz, of Elkhart, who fled to the open air while delirious and was exposed for several hours before recaptured, is in a precarious condition. He began the study of Christian science and mesmerism, and continued with such assiduity that he fell ill.

Col. George W. Gunder, of the One Hundred and Sixtieth Indiana regiment, against whom a judgment for betrayal and malpractice was obtained by Miss Dora Troxell, since dead, the judgment being affirmed by the supreme court Tuesday, paid into the Wells county court the amount of the judgment and costs, aggregating $7,000.

The firm of C. and E. Hawks, of Goshen, a few days ago received a postoffice money-order for $2.75, "conscience money," from a former Elkhart county boy, now living in the west, which represented the amount he was overpaid by the firm twenty-one years ago, when he was sent to the mill by his father with a grist of grain.

E. F. Sands, of Plymouth, and Miss Cora Alford were married at Logansport Wednesday in opposition to the wishes of the bride's parents. Miss Alford slipped away from home and the ceremony took place at the Cumberland Presbyterian parsonage This is Miss Alford's second matrimonial step, she having been divorced and had her maiden name restored.

An inquest was held this week over two young men of Wells county, and both were declared to be insane and application has been made for their admittance to the asylum at Richmond. Samuel Her and Albert Gammell are the names of the two unfortunate young men. Gammell's hallucination is that a young woman is following him constantly and is trying to throw poison on him.

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POPULIST DELEGATES BEGAN A POLITICAL COUP.

FINAL ADJOURNMENT TAKEN

FIGHT AGAINST TRUSTS TO BE ORGANIZED.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Middle-of-the-road populists stirred up a storm in Central Music hall yesterday afternoon that all but ended the anti-trust conference in a Kilkenny fight. Their attempts to commit the convention to work for the overthrow of any political party which refused to espouse the conference's anti-trust platform provoked the pent-up wrath of every other faction in the body, and for two hours pandemonium was let loose.

Chairman F. S. Monnett, of Ohio, a republican, powerless to bridle the fire of invective, let democrats, populists, socialists and single-taxers bandy epithets, threats and counter-charges. Feeling ran so high that there was no attempt to proceed with the program of addresses scheduled for the afternoon and an extra session was necessary last night to wind up the conference's deliberations.

The squabble had its beginning at the morning session, when J. A. Parker, of Kentucky, national organizer of the middle-of-the-road populists, introduced resolutions declaring war on the party that dodged a positive anti-trust stand, including government ownership of railroads and direct legislation. Dozens of delegates were on their feet clamoring for recognition, and Chairman Monnett in despair pounded with his hatchet gavel and declared the convention adjourned until 2 o'clock.

RENEW THE FIGHT.

The middle-of-the-roaders charged their guns for a new volley during the luncheon hour and took advantage of the debate on the national organization plan to renew the fight. General J. B. Weaver, of Iowa, moved the adoption of the organization report, providing for precinct, county and state leagues as component parts of a national anti-trust alliance. It brought Ignatius Donnelly, of Minnesota, to his feet with a bitter attack on the league scheme and a proposal that war against trusts could only be waged with success by a new party. Amid mingled hisses and shouts the cryptogram populist from St. Paul said:

"If this convention adopts the crazy-quilt league plan proposed this convention's mountain of labor will result only in bringing forth a mouse. Leagues cannot accomplish the work we have laid out. Men cannot act except by party. If we are in earnest in this movement we must proceed to organize here a party and fix a time and place for a national convention. It may be said that this will interfere with one of the old parties. Are we here as the protectors or custodians of those parties? They have alternately governed this country for the last fifty years and they have brought it to the condition in which it is. There is no remedy to be hoped for at their hands. They have promised us a hundred times and they have betrayed us a hundred times. Leagues do not amount to anything more than a last year's bird's nest.

"Do I hear that relief is offered by the democratic party? What is the condition of that party today? Considering that a stick is no stronger than its weakest part, what is the democratic party worth with Bryan at one end, Altgeld at the other and Tammany in the middle? Tammany controlling democracy means no relief from it. From the republican party help is a hopeless dream. The populist party is too small. A new party is the urgent and absolute need of the hour."

SIMPSON HAS HIS SAY.

"Jerry" Simpson was first to catch Chairman Monnett's eye and threw himself into the fray on a question of "personal privilege." He objected to a statement made by Middle-of-the-Road Parker earlier in the day that the conference was controlled by politicians. He charged the middle-road populists with themselves having sought partisan domination of the convention and insisted that Parker owed the convention an apology. There were loud cries for Parker, but Congressman Sulzer of New York, was recognized and launched into an arraignment of Ignatius Donnelly sandwished with a defense of Tammany. Mr. Sulzer said:

"The transparent scheme of the gentleman from Minnesota is an effort to secure this convention's indorsement of his own candidacy for the presidency. I have no apologies for Tammany. What is good in Tammany I like. What is wrong in it I condemn. I can say the same of Mr. Donnelly, and one of the things I condemn in him is that he is doing more than any other man in this country to help Mark Hanna. We are not here to indorse the party of Donnelly."

PARKER SAYS THINGS.

Then Parker, of Kentucky, breeder of the row, mounted the stage to pay his respects to Simpson, for whose opinion he said he "didn't care two cents." He repeated his charge that the convention was owned by politicians, but added he was willing to apologize "if he'd hurt anybody's feelings."

General Weaver, Helen M. Gougar, William Prentiss, M. V. Gannon, Rev. S. W. Sample and "Golden-Rule" Mayor Jones, of Toledo, followed with appeals for harmony, and when one of them moved the previous question Donnelly, Parker and their supporters subsided and the organization report was declared adopted with a few nay votes.

The organization plan provides for precinct, township, county and state leagues as part of a national anti-trust league, to be governed by a national committee of three citizens from each state. An annual national convention is also provided for. The committee report recommended as the first officers of the new organization the following: M. L. Lockwood, Pennsylvania, president; H. B. Martin, District of Columbia, secretary; C. T. McBride, District of Columbia, treasurer, and W. B. Fleming, Kentucky, financial secretary. The slate was adopted by acclamation, with the exception of the secretaryship, which went to Franklin H. Wentworth, of Chicago. Mr. Wentworth was nominated by a delegate who said: "Chicago is entitled to the office, because it has more reformers than any other city in the country." Vice presidents, three to each state, were named by delegate caucuses.

Chairman Monnett appointed as the committee to present the conference's protest against the currency bill the following: W. B. Fleming, William Sulzer, George Fred Williams, Helen M. Gougar, E. R. Ridgely, W. J. Abbot, T. Carl Spelling, William Prentiss, John B. Weaver, J. R. Sovereign, W. H. Harvey, J. B. Romans, J. W. Wilson, John J. Lentz, M. C. Wetmore and Charles A. Towne. The committee will meet in Washington Monday.

FINAL ADDRESSES.

The conference adjourned sine die with a three-hour session at Central Music hall last night. Addresses were made by Edwin G. Jennings, of New York; Cora L. O. Richmond, of Michigan; E. Q. Norton, of Alabama; Thomas Bawden, of Michigan; Judge Robert A. Neff, of Oklahoma; R. S. Murray, Leo Richardson and E. J. Brown.

CROSS-EXAMINATION

Will Only Strengthen the Testimony of Fort Wayne Citizens.

The testimony which follows will stand the test of closest investigation. Cross-examination of such evidence will strengthen it. Proof of this nature is plentiful in Fort Wayne and the most skeptical can hardly doubt the claims made for "The Little Conqueror" when placed face to face with the public utterances of friends, neighbors and local citizens. Read the experience given below; it may save you many hours of future trouble:

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OFFICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

CITY COMPTROLLER BERGHOFF'S REPORT.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 1, 1900.

To His Honor the Mayor and Common Council.

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my financial report for the fiscal year 1899, showing a cash balance in treasury January 1, 1900, $90,680.41, of which amount $74,144.10 are to the credit of general funds, $5,918.22 are in the Electric Plant Construction Funds, $2,611.85 in Anthony Wayne Monument Funds.

During the year 1899 I have paid off and cancelled $25,000 at 6 per cent. bonds and have today a Sinking Funds balance of $6,590.47; $220,000 6 per cent. bonds have been refunded at 3½ per cent, with a premium of $1.75 per $100.

More public improvements have been made this year than any previous year besides furnishing the engine houses; 4 miles of paved streets have been made; the city has nearly completed the large Hanna street relief sewer at an expense of over $7,000 without assessing any property owners.

Taxes have been reduced from $1.40 in 1891 to 91 cents in 1899, including 2½ per cent. levy for electric plant.

Our present water works system is nearly complete and will soon begin to yield a net revenue. The tax rate for city purposes in this city is today lower than that of any city of its size in the United States. Our sewer system will be completed, I hope, within the next year. The fire department is complete and don't need any additions for years to come. Taking all these matters into consideration I firmly believe that a municipal electric plant can be erected and paid for by this city in the very near future and I am convinced that if built and reasonable prices are charged for lights, it will produce enough revenue to give this city free lights and plenty of them.

It is my duty to state in this connection that all appropriations for 1900 have been made liberal enough for all purposes and the same should not be increased under any circumstances.

I believe we should continue to practice the strictest economy in all departments without injury to public interests, so that we may be able within a short time to erect a municipal electric plant without a raise of taxations nor diminishment of public improvements.

This, though, should be kept in mind by every official and in every department and inspire all to the closest economy.

Yours respectfully,
HENRY C. BERGHOFF,
Comptroller.

Referred to committee of the whole.

RECEIPTS AND BALANCES FOR THE YEAR 1899:

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1899	$143,667 48
RECEIPTS.	
Taxes	$224,892 61
Liquor license	16,100 00
Vehicle license	8,329 50
Pole license	1,479 00
Pipe line license	1,137 00
Peddlers' license	183 00
Exhibition license	190 00
Pawnbrokers' license	225 00
Billiard and pool license	321 00
Plumbers' license	24 00
Sewer builders' license	44 00
Milk license	225 00
Comptroller fees	731 50
Mayor's fees	239 50
City scale receipts	2,064 00
Market receipts	982 00
PROMISCUOUS RECEIPTS	
Board of public works (sand sold)	161 40
Board of public works old typewriters	25 00
Board of public works (old iron)	16 68
Board of public works (rebates)	1 52
Board of public works (from county for E. L.)	63 60
H. Hilbrecht (old horse sold)	15 00
H. Hilbrecht (coppers zinc)	26 22
Chas. McCulloch (premium on bonds up to Dec. 31, 1899)	2,625 00
William Moellering (part payment on roller)	100 00
Street special account	277 50
Total receipts for 1899	$264,875 95
Grand total	$371,543 43

Warrants drawn and audited on special accounts as follows:
(See item 6 disbursement and balance.)

DISBURSEMENTS.

Warrants drawn and audited: On general appropriation account as specifically set out by item 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 in disbursement and balance set out hereafter	$243,229 50
Sinking fund	35,000 00
Firemen's pension fund	2,362 96
Street special	241 50
Total warrants drawn	$280,857 02
Cash balance except one bond not yet exchanged	90,686 41
Total	$371,543 43

SUMMARY.

Total receipts and balance as above	$371,543 43
Total warrants drawn	280,857 02
Balance to credit of several accounts Jan. 1, 1900	$90,680 41

The above balance stands to the credit of the different accounts as follows.

General appropriation	$74,144 10
Sinking funds	6,590 47
Street special fund	299 13
Firemen's pension fund	1,116 34
Monument fund	2,611 85
Electric light plant fund	5,918 22
Total	$90,680 41

TREASURER'S BALANCE.

Credit to several funds	$90,680 41
Orders afloat	4,433 10
	$95,119 51
One bond not yet redeemed	4,000 00
Net cash balance	$91,119 51

GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.
DISBURSEMENTS AND BALANCES.

DEPT. OF FINANCE.	Annual Appropriations	Warrants Drawn	Balance In Funds.
Salary of officers' clerks	$20,575 00	$20,375 00	$200 00
Incidentals Finance	500 00	498 18	1 52
Miscellaneous claim account	1,589 01	1,581 04	1 97
Interest	36,491 00	35,515 50	975 50
Revision of ordinances	2,000 00	201 13	1,798 87
Totals	$61,135 01	$58,151 15	$2,980 86
DEPT. OF LAW.			
Incidentals to law	$500 00	$399 05	100 95
DEPT. OF PUBLIC WORKS.			
Advertising printing	$1,100 00	$1,072 28	$27 72
Blank books and stationery	600 00	549 99	50 01
City hall	2,300 00	2,278 15	21 85
Expenses city civil engineer	2,170 00	2,046 94	123 06
Garbage account	7,000 00	6,764 32	235 68
Furniture and fixtures	350 00	3 50	346 50
Public grounds and buildings	2,100 00	2,095 65	4 35
Public lights	29,480 00	29,426 44	53 56
Sewer repairs	2,510 00	2,499 81	16
Sewers new	6,000 00	4,356 45	1,643 55
Street cleaning	9,500 00	9,498 75	1 25
Maintenance and repair of streets	3,614 36	3,551 86	62 50
Maintenance and repair of streets special	8,788 00	8,788 00	
Additional clerical force board public works	650 00	596 80	53 20
Bridges	500 00	429 60	70 40
Parks	10,025 61	10,025 61	
Insurance	532 00	532 00	
New streets	25,000 00	18,662 19	6,337 81
Fountains	200 00	190 45	9 55
Totals	$112,478 06	$103,366 91	$9,011 15
DEPT. OF SAFETY.			
Fire force pay roll	$42,460 00	$38,543 03	$3,916 97
Fire force account	9,100 00	8,877 88	222 12
Police force pay roll	28,520 00	28,120 46	399 54
Police force account	900 00	869 64	30 36
Weighmaster's salary	727 00	715 40	11 60
Poundmaster's salary	510 00	510 00	
Marketmaster's salary	300 00	300 00	
Totals	$82,817 00	$77,906 11	$4,910 89
DEPT. OF HEALTH.			
Sanitary police	$1,620 00	$1,603 00	$17 00
Prevention of contagious diseases	1,500 00	715 35	784 65
Bacteriologist	1,200 00	1,200 00	
Incidentals board of health	200 00	43 25	156 75
Totals	$4,520 00	$3,561 60	$958 40
SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.			
Sinking funds	$41,590 47	$35,000 00	$6,590 47
Street special	540 63	241 50	299 13
Firemen's pension funds	3,479 30	2,362 96	1,116 34
Monument funds	2,611 85		2,611 85
Electric light plant fund	5,918 22		5,918 22
Totals	$54,149 47	$37,607 46	$16,512 01

SUMMARY.

Total appropriation to department of finance	$61,135 01
Total appropriation to department of law	500 00
Total appropriation to department of public works	112,478 06
Total appropriation to department of safety	82,817 00
Total appropriation to department of health	4,520 00
Total appropriations during year 1899	$261,530 07
Total disbursements department of finance	$58,151 15
Total disbursements department of law	399 05
Total disbursements department of public works	103,366 91
Total disbursements department of public safety	77,906 41
Total disbursements department of public health	3,561 60
Total disbursements for 1899 including transfer of $138.56 from garbage account	$243,388 12
Amount remaining in credit of several accounts	$17,901 95

Of the above balance the following accounts will be carried over to 1900:

GENERAL ACCOUNT.

Interest	$975 50
Revision of ordinances	1,798 87
Furniture and fixtures	287 20
New sewer	1,643 55
Main and rep. of streets	62 50
For fire force account	208 00
NEW STREETS.	
For paving Fourth st	1,222 63
For paving Main st	1,858 60
For paving Court st	122 00
For paving Clinton st	218 00
For paving Berry st	1,721 [illegible]
	5,016 63
Total carried forward to 1900	$10,081 55

The remainder of the balance consisting of the following items will be returned to general appropriation account:

Salaries of officers and clerks	$200 00
Incidental to dept of finance	1 52
Miscellaneous claim account	1 97
Incidentals department of law	100 95
Advertising and printing	27 72
Blank books and stationery	50 01
City hall account	21 85
Expense city civil engineer	123 06
Garbage account	235 68
Furniture and fixtures	59 30
Public grounds and buildings	4 35
Public lights	53 56
Sewer repairs	16
Street cleaning	1 25
Additional clerical force	53 20
Bridges	70 40
New streets	1,320 88
Fountains	9 55
Fire force pay roll	3,916 97
Fire force account	222 12
Police force pay roll	399 54
Police force account	30 36
Weighmaster's salary	11 60
Sanitary police	17 00
Prevention of contagious diseases	784 65
Incidentals board of health	156 75
Total returned to general appropriation account	$7,907 40
Total carried forward	$17,901 95

WARRANTS AND ORDER ACCOUNT.

Amounts of warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1898	$5,311 26
Amount of warrants drawn during 1899, including $150,000 order for bonds exchanged	430,857 02
Total	$436,168 28
Amount of warrants redeemed by treasurer during 1899	$434,735 18
Amount of warrants outstanding Dec. 31, 1899	1,433 10
Total	$436,168 28

STATEMENT OF TRUST ACCOUNT.

Street and sewer improvements under Barrett law:

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1899	$2,553 66
Received from treasurer:	
Certificate No. 35	$3,169 11
Certificate No. 37	15,065 15
Certificate No. 39½	3,626 73
Certificate No. 40	7,991 [illegible]
	29,962 [illegible]
Total receipts and balance	$32,516 11
Warrants paid	29,183 56
Total in hands of treasurer Jan. 1, 1900	$3,332 55
Total warrants drawn	29,274 39
Total warrants paid	29,183 56
Warrants afloat	$90 83

Referred to committee of the whole.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. [illegible]

An ordinance directing and requiring the use of the union label of the International Typographical Union of North America, or subordinate body, the Allied Printing Trades Council of the city of Fort Wayne, on all printed matter, blank books, etc., to be used by the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, and requiring all city publications to be made in papers employing printers belonging to said Typographical Union, or said subordinate body, the Allied Printing Trades Council.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne that all printing used and ordered by the city of Fort Wayne shall bear the imprint of the recognized union label of the Allied Printing Trades Council of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Sec. 2. That all advertising of said city of Fort Wayne required by law to be published in any newspaper in the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, shall be published in, and the contract for publishing the same, shall be let to some newspaper employing members of said International Typographical Union and Allied Printing Trades Council, and authorized by said Allied Printing Trades Council to use the label and imprint of said Allied Printing Trades Council.

Sec. 3. All bids may be rejected if deemed too high by the board of public works and if the bidders are deemed irresponsible by said board, and all printing shall be let to the lowest and best bidder, subject to the rules and regulations heretofore specified.

Sec. 4. This ordinance to be in full force and effect on and after its passage and approval by mayor.

G. R. HENCH.

The ordinance was read the first time in full, upon motion the ordinance was read the second time by its title and referred to committee on judiciary and city attorney.

RESOLUTION.

Be It Resolved, That the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad company be and is hereby required to erect and maintain an electric hanging lamp, such as is used by the city of Fort Wayne, at the crossing of its tracks with Cass street in the city of Fort Wayne, within the next thirty (30) days, and that the clerk is instructed to serve a copy of this resolution upon the agent of said company in the city of Fort Wayne, together with a copy of the ordinance authorizing the passage of the resolution.

A. W. CLARK
FRANK X. SCHUHLER

Referred to committee on street lights.

RESOLUTION.

Resolved, That it is the sense of the common council of the city of Fort Wayne that the board of public works, in receiving bids for the paving of the streets of this city should so frame the specifications for material as to afford opportunity for the broadest competition in the matter of said paving material; that when bids are advertised to be received that no particular kind or make or class of material be specified as asphalt, block asphalt, or brick, but that bids for any and all of these or other first-class materials be received, to the end that it may be possible for the property owners on any street proposed to be paved may have every opportunity to show what kind of pavement will be the cheapest in cost for them to choose.

Resolved, That the board of public works should advertise for bids for paving any streets contemplated to be paved in such season as will enable contractors for said work to have ample time to complete their contracts, this to the end that home labor may be given the broadest opportunity to be employed on such paving work and render it unnecessary to seek labor abroad in order to complete said paving contracts in the time specified.

G. R. HENCH.

Referred to committee of the whole.

Upon motion of Councilman O'Ryan the mayor's veto on General Ordinance No. 148 was sustained by the following vote.

Ayes, 13, viz: Bauer, Buhr, Eckert, Ehrman, Gerding, Haag, Hosey, McMahon, O'Ryan, Scheid, Schubler, Schwartz, Zurbuch.

Nays, 4, viz: Clark, Hench, Lennart and Miller.

Councilman Hench moved that the clerk be instructed to have new cards giving the roster of officers printed, which motion was lost.

The mayor appointed Councilman Miller to all committee positions formerly filled by Councilman Wheelock except in the chairmanship of the committee on contracts and franchises. In this position he had placed Councilman Hosey.

The mayor appointed Councilman Scheid chairman of the committee of the whole to meet at the call of the chairman.

On motion the council then adjourned.

STOOD DEATH OFF.

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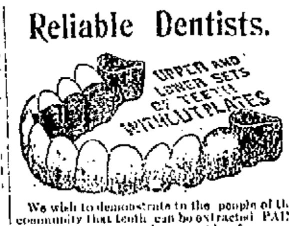

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Valparaiso and Chicago	* 3 45 am	* 5 10 am
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Youngstown and Pittsburg	* 5 20 am	* 3 40 am
Mansfield and Lima		†11 55 am
Canton and Pittsburg		* 4 10 pm
Valparaiso and Chicago	† 7 30 am	†12 35 pm
Valparaiso and Chicago	†12 15 pm	†10 55 pm
Crestline and Pittsburg	†12 45 pm	* 3 35 am
Plymouth and Chicago	* 4 15 pm	
Lima and Crestline	† 3 30 am	† 7 15 pm
New York and Washington	* 7 45 pm	* 4 10 pm
Pittsburg & Philadelphia	* 7 15 pm	* 4 10 pm
New York and Washington	* 9 20 pm	* 5 02 am
Pittsburg & Philadelphia	* 9 25 pm	* 6 02 am

GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA Ry.
In effect Oct. 19, 1899.

NORTH BOUND.

*For Grand Rapids and north	2 20 a.m
† " " " "	8 50 a.m
† " " " "	4 25 p.m
†From Richmond arrives	8 40 a.m

SOUTH BOUND.

*For Richmond and Cincinnati	12 25
† " " "	7 15 a.m
† " " "	12 35 p.m
†From Grand Rapids arrives	7 00 p.m

*Daily †Daily except Sunday.

WABASH

Time Table Effective November, 26, 1899; From Fort Wayne.

GOING EAST.

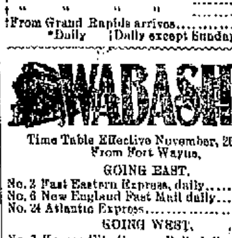
No. 2 Fast Eastern Express, daily	6 10 a.m
No. 6 New England Fast Mail daily	11 55 a.m
No. 24 Atlantic Express	6 46 p.m

GOING WEST.

No. 7 Kansas City Cannon Ball, daily	10 02 a.m
No. 5 Government Fast Mail, daily	5 43 p.m
No. 3 St. Louis Limited, daily	8 20 p.m

Telephone, Bell-Home No. 8.

ALL TRAINS DAILY.



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All Nickel Plate Passenger Trains Daily.

EASTBOUND FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 6	[illegible]
Nickel Plate Express, No. 2	3 03
Eastern Express, No. 4	8 20
Local Freight	[illegible]

WESTBOUND FROM FT. WAYNE.	DEPART
Standard Express, No. 5	2 05
Western Express, No. 1	11 15
Nickel Plate Express, No. 3	4 35
Local Freight	[illegible]

†Daily except Sunday. Light type A. M. Dark type P. M.

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Effective Dec., 4th, 1899.

EAST BOUND.

Lv. Fort Wayne 7:05 a.m. arr. Findlay 9:50 a.m
arr. Toledo (via C. H. D.) 10:40 a.m
arr. Cincinnati (via C. H. D.) 4:55 p.m
arr. Columbus (via T. & O. C.) 2:05 p.m

WEST BOUND.

" " 1:20 p.m. arr. Fort Wayne 4:00 p.m
" Columbus (via T. & O. C.) arr Ft. W 4:00 p.m

All trains daily except Sunday.

Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway—Fort Wayne Branch.

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 462 Way Freight	2 50 p.m
No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	10 50 a.m
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	3 50 p.m

NORTHWARD.	DEPART
No. 492 Way Freight	5 55 a.m
No. 456 Through Express & Mail	11 45 a.m
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	4 40 p.m

L. E. & W. TIME TABLE.

SOUTH.

No. 41 leaves (except Sunday)	1 18 a.m
No. 43 daily	4 15 p.m
No. 171 Local Freight	5 30 a.m

NORTH.

No. 40 arrives daily	11 40 a.m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday)	10 25 p.m
No. 170 Local Freight	1 40 p.m

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LOCOMOTIVE DOME GOES UP

CARRYING THE ROUND HOUSE ROOF WITH IT.

The Sentinel this morning received the following Associated Press dispatch from Pittsburg: "It was learned last night from sources which are considered reliable that the officials of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad would in a few days announce a substantial increase in the wages of all engineers employed throughout the entire system. The new schedule is expected to go into effect March 1, 1900, and the wages of about 3,000 men will be affected by it. It is understood that in addition to the advance in rate per hour, other concessions have been granted relating to over time and extra service, which will make the new schedule more comprehensive in its effects than the announced rate indicates."

LOCOMOTIVE EXPLODES.

The round house of the Grand Rapids and Indiana company, at Grand Rapids, was partly wrecked yesterday morning. The dome of engine 13 was suddenly lifted from the boiler and went skyward, taking a good portion of the roof with it and causing other damage. The concussion broke all the windows in that part of the building and made such a noise that it attracted an immense crowd to the round house. The damage to the engine was confined to the dome, which is easily repaired. No. 13 runs in and out of this city and had just taken a train north a day or two before the explosion.

THE ABSENT ONES.

Bad colds, grip and now and then a case of malarial fever are causes that have a bearing on the absentee list at the shops, which has been steadily increasing for a week or two. The new names thereon this morning are L. Smith, Fred Paul, W. H. Tegeder, John Golden, C. E. Brown, Frank Fox, G. Kronnemiller, F. D. Swain, Joseph Carry, William E. Schlink, Joseph Bryant and John Welton, sick; F. W. Ropa, W. C. Ropa, O. W. Lehman, T. Bentz, E. Blackburn, H. C. Doehrman, J. F. Hildinger and Joseph Junk, off for various reasons.

MR. CHERRY RECOVERS.

Frank M. Cherry, the boilermaker who was stricken with paralysis in the Pittsburg shops several weeks ago, very agreeably surprised his shopmates this morning by appearing there and resuming work. At the time of the attack and for several days afterwards none of the friends of Mr. Cherry believed he would ever be able to resume work. His recovery seems complete and there is, apparently, before Mr. Cherry many years of usefulness. He was given a hearty welcome by his shopmates.

REPORTED FOR DUTY.

George Telley, night round house foreman of the Pittsburg, was able to resume charge of that position last night, after an illness of two weeks, during which W. G. Page had charge of the office. Joseph Labbe, a machinist, and Frank Dobler, caller, of that establishment, have also reported for duty after being on the sick list. Charles Hilker, the boiler lagger, is also working again after a few days' sickness.

NO STRIKE IN SIGHT.

Pittsburg, Feb. 15.—P. H. Morrissey, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, who has been in the city several days in an effort to adjust the reported grievances of the railway switchmen of Pittsburg, left for the east late last night. The departure of Mr. Morrissey is taken as an indication that there is no strike in sight.

FOOT BADLY BRUISED.

John F. Gribbons, machinist at the Pittsburg shops, had his right foot injured last evening by a side rod strap falling upon it. None of the bones were broken, but the member was badly bruised and will be sore for a number of days.

TWO FINGERS BROKEN.

John Hood, assistant hostler at the Nickel Plate round house, met with an accident Tuesday night which will keep him from his labors for a few weeks. While cleaning the fire box, the shaker bar slipped and in a manner not very clear to Mr. Hood, two of his fingers were terribly bruised and the bones broken. Mr. Hood was employed as a passenger fireman on the road a few years ago, but resigned to go elsewhere to work.

WOOD PULP SHIPMENTS STOP.

The action of the Canadian government in prohibiting shipment of wood pulp to the American paper mills has cut off a very important part of the Grand Trunk's traffic and the law is not pleasing to the management of that property. A dispatch from Montreal gives the reasons for the passage of the measure a desire on the part of the Dominion government to force American manufacturers to draw upon their own supplies, so that Canada would be in a position to charge an export duty upon paper in retaliation for the import duties now charged by the United States for the entry of lumber and other articles.

CARLUCCI WORKS LOCATED.

A letter from Scranton, Pa., states that the Carlucci stone works, recently removed from this city, are nearly ready for business in that city. Mr. P. Holcher is manager of the works and the letter states that he is pleased with his situation at Scranton. The capacity of the stone works have been doubled and the plant at Scranton will be controlled by a stock company capitalized at $150,000, of which P. Holcher is one of the directors; also general manager. G. Stringlitz, foreman of the stone works, is still in the city and will remain here until all business of Mr. Carlucci is wound up, when he will join P. Holcher as his assistant.

BIG ORDER FOR LAMPS.

Supt. J. J. Woods, of the Fort Wayne Electric company, is preparing to ship a number of his latest improved lamps to Chicago, where they will be placed on Jackson boulevard. These lamps were constructed with a view to ornamentation as well as service and besides all the best features of the street lamp, they have the additional merit of being pleasing to the eye—in fact, a regular beauty and an ornament to the boulevard where they will soon be placed in position.

MR. WOODWARD'S NEW TITLE.

Official notice of the transfer of Resident Engineer Woodward from Peru to Detroit has been received. The Sentinel mentioned this matter a few days ago, but at that time it was not known what title Mr. Woodward would have. He is to be engineer of maintenance of way of the Detroit division, and in addition to those duties will have charge of matters pertaining to track and roadbed, thereby relieving General Roadmaster A. B. Adams of that duty on that branch of the system. This is a decided advance in the ranks, and it is accompanied by a corresponding increase in the salary. The Detroit division was separated from the eastern division several months ago, and Mr. Burns, former fuel agent, was made the superintendent.

A TEMPORARY SHUT DOWN.

About one-half of the employes of the Wabash blacksmith shop are today enjoying a rest from their toils. The fan in the big blower which furnishes wind to drive the fires broke at noon yesterday and the forges connected with it are closed until repairs can be effected.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Wabash Machinist George Lloyd is sick and off duty.

Pittsburg Engineer P. T. Walsh has gone to Altoona, Pa., on a special mission, in which all engineers are interested. He will return home Sunday.

Charles Clark, of the Wabash machine shop, is sick and off duty.

The electric works this morning sent a 1,000-light dynamo to Copley, Pa.

E. O. Poole, who has charge of the tool room at the Wabash shops, is confined to his home by sickness.

"Fido," the little Wabash shop engine, is undergoing repairs and its work is being performed by engine 7

Boilermaker George Conrad, of the Bass works, who was sick a week or longer, reported for duty this morning.

E. S. Danes, a brother of Supt. W S. Danes, has charge of the working force in the carpenter work on the new Wabash shops.

H. H. Bennett, an engineer on the Chicago and Erie road, residing at Huntington, is in the city visiting his sister, Mrs. J. M. Bond.

Ernest Mistler and Thomas Lynch, of the Wabash machine shop, are sick and this morning they went to the railway's hospital at Peru.

Wages of conductors and brakemen on the Illinois Central, it is stated, are to be advanced an average of $5 per month after March 1.

A. Noble, who was learning the machinist's trade in the Wabash shops, quit that establishment this morning, deciding that the trade was not to his liking.

Philip Allen, superintendent of the Franklin division of the Lake Shore, has resigned, to look after his large estate, and is succeeded by C. B. Murray, of Buffalo.

Conductor James B. Frye, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, is severely afflicted nowadays. He no sooner recovered from a surgical operation for a throat affection, then a big carbuncle appeared on his neck.

At Cincinnati Monday evening W. A. Fox was presented with a gold watch by his railway associates and friends. Mr. Fox has been appointed general agent of the Philadelphia territory for the Chicago and Northwestern road.

W. H. Reed, for many years the general agent of the Wabash and one of the best known railroad men in the west, is now in the employ of the United States government in the northwestern territory.

A number of leading officials of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, Order of Railway Conductors and Brotherhood of Railway Firemen are in conference at Pittsburg. It is hinted that the matter of a new federation is being considered.

Amos Sine, Pittsburg engineer, who recently reported after an illness of two months, was unable to take his run out this morning on account of sickness. This attack is of a mild form, however, and Mr. Sine will be at the throttle again in a few days.

The old veterans who attend the encampment of the G. A. R. in Chicago this year will ride there with tickets that will cost them at the rate of one cent a mile. This was the decision of the Central Passenger association which held a meeting in Chicago yesterday.

C. A. Smith, fireman on a local freight train on the Wabash, is again on duty, after an illness of two weeks. A. Johnson, an extra fireman, who works in the shops when not on the road, took Mr. Smith's place in the cab during that gentleman's absence.

Daniel Bevelheimer, the watchman at the Broadway crossing of the Pittsburg, who recently lost his wife, has called his son and daughter-in-law to his home, where they will reside permanently, the lady having charge of the household duties. Ed Bevelheimer, the son, is employed in the grocery of Reidmiller, of South Broadway.

L. P. Milliken, of Indianapolis, fire loss adjuster for the Home Insurance company, was in the city in his official way this morning. Two cars, loaded with whisky, three engines and other rolling stock which figured in a wreck at Peru a couple of weeks ago were damaged by fire and Mr. Millikan was here to investigate and establish the amount of liability sustained by the Home company.

Engineers S. P. Craig and C. F. Cline, of the Pittsburg, are sick; Fireman B. Lower is detained at home by the sickness of his wife, and Fireman C. B. Bowen is taking a lay off to look after some private business. David Raidy, engineer, who was hurt a short time ago, and Firemen R. A. Prugh and J. Plough, who were sick, have reported for duty.

Receiver Hunt, General Superintendent Sherwood and Chief Engineer Randall, of the Toledo, St. Louis and Kansas City, are this week inspecting the property, among other things considering the building of some new depots along the line.

Nickel Plate Conductor Samuel Deahl is taking a brief lay off from his duties.

Engineer D. Obey and Fireman J. T. Fox have been assigned to engine 18, on a freight run on the Third district.

Engineer James Lindsay, who was kept from his work on the Nickel Plate a week on account of the illness of Mrs. Lindsay, resumed his work yesterday.

J. W. Memmer, of the Kerr Murray works, is taking a lay off, pending the healing of an injured foot. The member was hurt in the shop yesterday.

Joe A. Deahl, who was detained at home by the sickness of his wife, and J. D. Laws, who was taking a rest, resumed work yesterday. They are Nickel Plate brakemen.

A. W. Maddox, of the Nickel Plate who has been afflicted with a bad cold for several days, was so much worse yesterday that he was compelled to remain at home and take treatment.

On Monday over 200 carloads of steel rails were started out of Pittsburg over the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago and Panhandle lines, most of them destined to points west of Chicago and St. Louis.

Today A. W. Trenholm, late superintendent of the Nebraska division of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha road, assumed the duties of general superintendent of the Omaha system, succeeding Mr. Stuart.

One of the Toronto papers says that, in consequence of the advance made in freight rates by the railroads, certain merchants of that city are carrying their freight between Toronto and Hamilton, forty miles, on wagons.

The grievance committee of the Order of Railway Telegraphers held a conference today in Chicago with General Manager Mudge, of the Santa Fe system. They are asking for a revision of wage scale and more regular hours.

R. J. Hoffman has been appointed mechanical engineer of the Santa Fe system, with headquarters at Topeka. He was on the editorial staff of the Railway Review until two years ago, when he entered into the service of the western road.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Terre Haute and Logansport road, a Pennsylvania line, yesterday James McCrea, J. T. Brooks, E. B Taylor and J. J. Turner were elected directors. No change occurred in the personnel of the officers of the line.

In 1895 the Illinois Central operated 2,888 miles of main line, and its gross earnings were $19,056,094; net earnings, $7,430,906. In 1899 this company operated 3,671 miles of main line, its gross earnings were $28,114,690, and net earnings, $11,133,506.

It is stated that the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad is now owned directly by the Vanderbilts. For some years it was owned jointly by the Lake Shore and the New York Central stockholders. The Pittsburg and Lake Erie is considered one of the most valuable railroad properties in the country.

The railroad branch of the Young Men's Christian association at Pittsburg is instructed in mechanical matters, as well as on religious topics. This evening they will be addressed by W. B. Ford, general foreman of the erecting shops at Altoona, on "How to Cure a Lame Engine." A working model of an engine will be used at the lecture.

The Santa Fe has inaugurated a new system in the management and control of rolling stock while it is in service on the road. Heretofore that stock has been handled jointly by the mechanical and transportation departments. In the future the rolling stock while in service will be under the direct supervision of the general superintendent, or, rather, the operating department.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease, and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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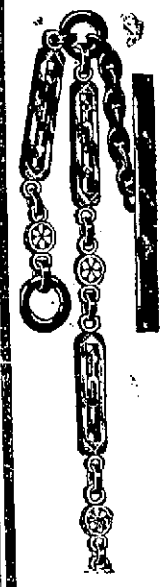

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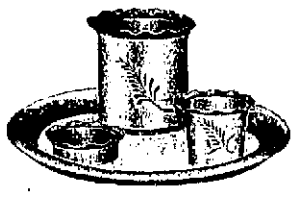

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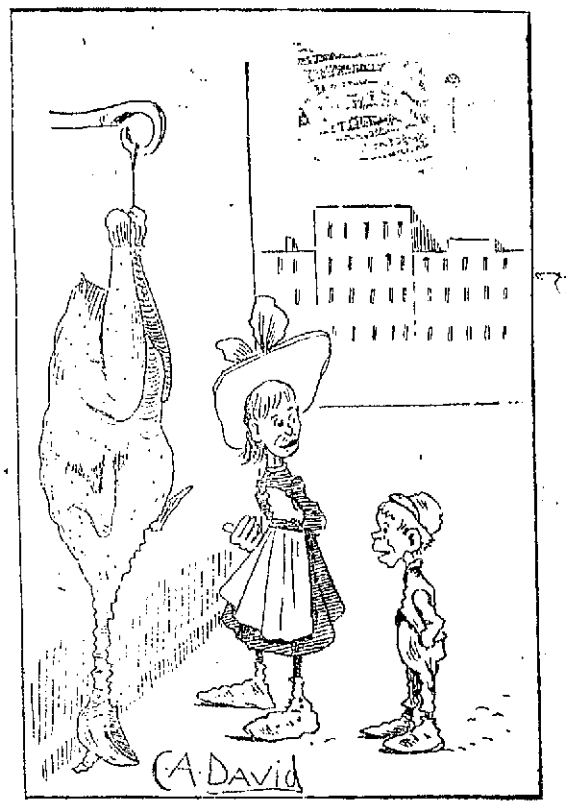

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Forecast for Indiana—Fair tonight and Friday; cold wave tonight; continued cold Friday; northwest winds.

LOCAL NEWS.

Percy Smith, of Chicago, is in the city greeting friends.

Mrs. Dr. A. J. Boswell, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, is now convalescing.

The Luther league of Trinity English Lutheran church will give a social at the church parlors on Friday evening.

Arthur Benke has issued invitations for a stag party on Tuesday evening in celebration of his birthday anniversary.

The Society of Art will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Van Perrine, on West Berry street. Mrs. Robertson will read a paper.

Chairman Scheid has called a meeting of the council committee of the whole for next Tuesday evening, at which time the mayor's message, the department's annual report and the recommendations of the board of safety will be discussed.

The Association of Retail Druggists held a meeting Wednesday afternoon at the rooms of the Fort Wayne Commercial club. M. H. Wefel presented a paper of interest to the trade, and some routine business was transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Reitze entertained the members of the Lakeside Pedro club and a few others on Wednesday evening, in honor of Mrs. Olmstead, of St. Thomas, Ont. The ladies selected partners for pedro by guessing the silhouettes of the gentlemen.

OYSTERS, FISH, CELERY, LETTUCE FOR FRIDAY MORNING.

Extra Large Selects for Frying, 25c.
Large Stewing Standards, 20c can.
Smoked White Fish, 10c lb.
Smoked Haddies, 12c lb.
Smoked Salmon, 12c lb.
Yarmouth Bloaters, 3 for 5c.
Labrador Herring, 2c each.
Also Fresh Fish.
Best California Celery, 8c stock.
Fine Michigan Lettuce, 15c lb.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Commencing Friday, Feb. 16, the Hoosier Shoe Store will close at 6 p. m. except Saturdays and the 5th, 15th and 20th of each month. 15t3

FLOUR, POTATOES, MEATS, BUTTER AND EGGS.

White Foam Full Roller Flour, $3.30 per Barrel.
All best City Flour, $3.50 Barrel.
Best Michigan Potatoes, 60c bushel
Nice large Onions, 15c peck.
Best Sugar Cured Hams, 12c lb.
Pic-Nic Hams and Shoulders, 8c lb.
Fine English Breakfast Bacon, 10c.
Fresh Country Eggs, 14c dozen.
No. 1 Roll Butter, 20c lb.
We will be open tomorrow night.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

SEMI-ANNUAL SALE OF GRANITE ENAMEL WARE.

The mammoth purchase of two car loads from manufacturer's sale is going fast. It will be wise to make selections during this sale, as prices will be advanced 25 per cent. before long.

The assortment is complete.

Number 8 and 9 Tea Kettles, 39c.

Number 3 and 5 Tea Kettles, 23c and 30c.

1, 2, 3 and 4 quart Coffee and Tea Pots, 12c to 35c.

Preserving Kettles, 12c up to 27c.

Extra Large Kettles, 50c, 70c and 75c

Wash Basins, 6c, 12c, 18c, up to 25c.

Large Basting Spoons, 7c.

4 and 6-quart Buckets, 15c and 23c.

Cups, Dippers and Ladles, 4c, 6c, 8c and 10c.

Seamless Water Pails, 25c and 38c.

Rice Boilers, 27c, 33c and 37c.

Large Chamber Pails, 45c.

Berlin Kettles and Sauce Pans, 15c up to 75c.

Large Cuspidors, 20c.

Large size Bed Pans, a household necessity, special price $1.00.

Large Soup or Vegetable Boilers, 75c.

Coffee Boilers, 25c, 35c, up to 70c.

Dish Pans, 23c, 25c, 35c, 40c and 50c.

Meat Dishes, 12c, 17c, 25c and 35c.

Vegetable Dishes, 25c and 30c.

Large Cullinders, 20c.

Muffin and Cake Pans, 15c and 20c.

Oblong and Bread Pans, 23c and 40c.

Also numerous other articles.

Notwithstanding the large increase in cost of material, these prices average as low as ever.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

Hon. T. R. Marshall, of Columbia City, is a Fort Wayne visitor.

Mrs. Louis Schmoe, of Baker street, will entertain at a "hard times" party this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. T. DeWald and Mrs. Muhler left this morning for Peoria and Chicago. They will visit in Peoria for a month.

Dr. E. P. Banning is at home from Chicago, where he attended the anti-trust conference as a delegate from the Associated Nationalist clubs.

A BARGAIN.

$185 will buy a fine, double veneered, slightly used, upright Piano. Call at

GEO. JACOB'S MUSIC HOUSE,
15-t3 98 Calhoun St.

THE NEW KEYSTONE.

GROCERY, MEAT MARKET AND BAKERY.

Navy Beans, 5c qt.
Fresh Country Butter, 22c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 16c doz.
California Prunes, 6c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 15c lb.
California Peaches, 10c and 15c lb.
California Apricots, 10c lb.
Evaporated Raspberries, 25c lb.
Gal. Cans Blueberries, 50c.
Gal. Cans Apricots, 45c.
Gal. Cans California Peaches Pared, 40c.
Gal. Cans Apples, 30c.
Best Ginger Snaps, 5c lb.
Best Crackers, 7c lb; 4 lbs. for 25c.
Remember we give Uncle Sam trading stamps at

THE NEW KEYSTONE,
238 AND 240 CALHOUN.

See the New Everett Piano, at

GUY CONKLIN'S,
15ead4t 156½ Calhoun St.

"KOST SALE" SPECIAL.

Tomorrow morning we will place on sale large lot of Ladies' Fine Cloth Top Patent Leather Dress Shoes at only $2.18 per pair.

These goods would be good values at $3.00.

Only 3 days more of the "Kost Sale." 15t3

HOOSIER SHOE STORE.

POULTRY, OYSTERS AND FISH AT THE GREATEST.

Extra Select Oysters, 25c can.
Extra Stewing Oysters, 30c quart.
Large Family Mackerel, 10c each.
Absolutely Boneless Cod Fish, 12c lb.
Smoked White Fish, 10c lb.
Smoked Halibut, Chunks 15c.
Large Smoked Bloaters, 3c each.
Holland Herring, $1.00 keg.
Fat Young Turkeys, Chickens and Ducks, alive and dressed.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

FOR TOMORROW.

Fresh Fish of all kinds.

RIPPE'S MEAT MARKET.
134 Fairfield Ave.

AT SCHWIER'S.

Michigan Potatoes, 50c bu.
Home Grown Potatoes, 45c bu.
Ossian Cap Sheaf Flour, $1.00 sack.
All City Flour, 90c sack.
Hadley's Lagrange Flour, 85c sack.
Broadway Hams, 12c pound.
Broadway Bacon, 10c pound.

Montgomery and Monroe Sts.
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MONEY TO LOAN

On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7, Bass Block. 2-tf

PURE PENNSYLVANIA BUCKWHEAT FLOUR AND OHIO MAPLE SYRUP AT THE GREATEST.

The Buckwheat we sell is the best in the world.

It is made by the largest millers in this line in Pennsylvania, who have a milling record of 100 years and know how to incorporate the taste and flavor in the flour.

It is warranted absolutely pure and every consumer who tries this flour wants it again, and says the cakes are the best they ever had and makes them hanker for more.

OHIO MAPLE SYRUP AND SUGAR

The Greatest Grocery recommends and guarantees that the Maple Syrup and Sugar that we are now handling is made under the pure food laws of Ohio, which imposes a fine of one thousand dollars for any adulteration found in Maple Syrup and Sugar. We have it in Quarts, Half Gallon and Gallon Cans.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

ATTENTION STREET CAR MEN!

We carry a full line of Electric Alarm Clocks in stock.

THE EDMUNDS ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION CO.,
15t2 Room 5, Schmitz Block.

THE PEOPLE'S STORE!

Our February Display and Sale of "Royal"

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR!

Will commence Friday Morning, February 16th. We purchased $5,000 00 worth of these goods last June, before the big advance in Muslins took place, and shall put them on sale at the same prices we sold them at last season. Come and see the display, and at prices that make them cheaper than you can afford to make them yourself.

At 25c Each

Ladies' Corset Covers, good quality muslin, high and low neck, trimmed with lace and embroidery; unequaled value. Corset Covers also at 12½c, 19c, 38c.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers, hemstitched, tucked, embroidered edge, extra wide and well made.

At 50c Each

Ladies' Night Gowns, fine muslin, tucked, embroidered and lace trimmed.

Ladies' Skirts, ruffled and tucked, extra wide, superior quality of muslin.

Ladies' extra good muslin Corset Covers, high and low neck, tucked backs, with blouse fronts or tight fitting, trimmed with lace or embroidery.

Our 50c Underwear contains values that cannot be beat.

At 75c Each

Ladies' Fine quality muslin Skirts, double ruffle, tucked, lace trimmed and extra wide.

Ladies' Night Gowns, extra good muslin, lace insertion or embroidered yokes, collars and sleeves trimmed.

Ladies' Muslin Drawers, edged with wide embroidery; perfectly made garments.

Ladies' Corset Covers, made of fine cambric, high or low neck and embroidered.

At $1.00 Each

Ladies' Night Gowns, made of extra quality muslin, tucked and embroidered yokes, lace and insertion trimming, sleeves and collars trimmed.

Ladies' superior quality Muslin Drawers, umbrella style, edged with very wide and fine embroidery.

Ladies' Cambric Corset Covers, tucked back and front, with fine lace yokes and lace edging. Finer Corset Covers for $1.25 and up.

Ladies' Muslin Skirts, insertion and lace edge, and double cambric flounce.

Our $1.00 Muslin Underwear is far superior to any sold at that price.

At $1.25 Each

Ladies' extra fine Cambric Drawers, umbrella style, with deep insertion and lace edging.

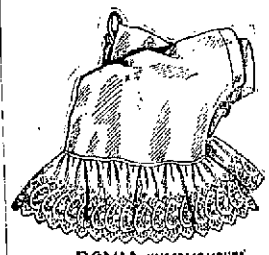
Ladies' very fine Muslin Night Gowns, empire style, handsomely trimmed with fine Swiss embroidery. Better ones for $1.50 and $1.75.

Ladies' Skirts, made of fine muslin, very deep ruffle, embroidered and tucked, trimmed with insertion and lace. Better skirts for $1.50, $2.00, $2.90 up to $4.50.

Misses' Underwear

We also have a full and complete assortment of Misses' Muslin Underwear, made of the very best quality of material and in the latest styles.

Misses' Muslin Skirts, 25c and 50c; Drawers, 15c, 25c and 50c; Gowns, 50c.



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Best Lighted Store in the City.

MONEY TO LOAN

On Real and Personal security at 5 per cent., 6 per cent. and 7 per cent. rates, according to loans.

FAY P. RANDALL,
16eod tf 5 Bass Block.

MEYER ACQUITTED.

Jacob Meyer was arraigned in police court this morning on an affidavit sworn to by Comptroller Berghoff charging him with selling liquor without a license. When the case came to trial the two witnesses on whom Mr. Berghoff depended for conviction swore that they had purchased only cider at Mr. Meyer's place and he was acquitted by Mayor Schurer.

BROKE THE WINDOW.

At midnight Wednesday some miscreant broke a window in the house occupied by Mrs. Jessie Cline, on Clasgow avenue. It is believed to have been the work of a thief. The police were notified and Sergeant Stevens and Officer Rohrer made an investigation, but failed to find any trace of the depredator.

The S. S. club gives a dance this evening at the Hanker academy.

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E. K. Wilson, of Elkhart, is visiting friends in the city.

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"In the Dark."

If you buy HARDWARE "in the dark"—don't know much about it—you'd better come to our store that wouldn't risk its reputation for fair dealing by selling you anything untrustworthy. Among our extensive stock of strictly first class shelf hardware, we offer you special today LANTERNS, 45 cts; HATCHETS, 35 cts; HAND SAWS, 45 cts; SMOOTH PLANES, 30 cts; TACK HAMMERS, 10 cts; WOOD SAWS, 50 cts; AXES, 60cts; WIRE COAT and HAT HOOKS, 10 cts. per dozen.

We generally compete with all competitors on prices, but we never cut qualities for the sake of cutting prices. All we ask you to do is judge us by the way the goods last—not merely by how little they cost you. We do business on a long range basis.

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